Weather

Misty but fine weather today. The maximum temperature yesterday was 74.6 and the minimum 48.0, the figures for the corresponding day last year being 76.1 and 52.6.

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LOYALIST TROOPS PLANNING ATTACK AGAINST MUNICH

Operations Begun With Object Of Encircling The City

TOWN IS TAKEN

Lines Of Spartacists Are Advanced On Rivers Wuern And Ameger

NUREMBURG HELD

Public Buildings There Are Occupied By Government Forces

(Reuter's Agency War Service)

Berlin, April 28.—The Government troops have begun operations for the encirclement of Munich. The general attack will not begin for some days.

The Prussian Minister of the Interior, Dr. Beine, in the course of a truculent speech in Berlin, repudiated all attempts to persuade the Germans that they must humiliate themselves because they were responsible for the war.

He said that the present Entente statesmen had become as mad in their lust for power, in their vanity and lies as ever the former rulers of Germany were.

Campaign Is Opened

Berlin, April 26.—Military operations against the Munich Soviet Government begin today under the command of General Maehl.

The Bavarian Government announces that Wurtemberg and other Imperial troops are participating in the operations. Martial law was proclaimed today throughout Bavaria.

The Government troops captured the town of Landshut from the Spartacists, while the latter advanced their lines from Munich along the rivers Wuern and Ameger to Lake Starnberg and Lake Ammer.

The Government troops have occupied the Town Hall and public buildings in Nuremburg.

Strength Of Red Army

Copenhagen, April 28.—A message sent from Berlin yesterday states that the strength of the Red Army in Munich is estimated at between thirty and sixty thousand but the capable fighters are reckoned at twelve thousand, the balance being mercenary hangers-on.

Occupy Buildings

Berlin, April 27.—According to a message from Nuremburg, it appears that the Government troops occupied the public buildings there owing to the discovery of an extensive and well-organised Communist plot against the Government. The Communist leader, Doctor Schmidt, was killed for resisting the authorities and two other Communists were arrested.

SHANTUNG IS DISCUSSED BY AMERICAN SENATOR

Lodge Says What Japanese Are Doing Is Matter Of Importance To U. S.

(Reuter's Agency War Service)

Boston, April 27.—Senator Lodge, the Majority leader in the Senate, making a speech today said that the Americans should not meddle in European questions. What was of more consequence to the Americans, than Fiume and Dantzig is the fact that the Japanese insist upon taking Shantung, which is not in Europe but in Asia where our interests are comparable to those of the Allies. The Senate, he said, will have to watch this matter.

Terrific Blizzard Sweeps Over England

Eight Inches Of Snow Falls In London And All Traffic Is Disorganised

(Reuter's Agency War Service)

London, April 28.—England was swept by a terrific blizzard on Sunday. Eight inches of snow fell in London, trains and busses were partially paralysed and thousands of telephone and telegraph wires are down. Heavy damage to crops and livestock is feared.

Carnegie's Daughter And Her Fiance

Ensign Roswell Miller and Miss Margaret Carnegie.
Photo by Int. C.

This photograph of Miss Margaret Carnegie, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Carnegie, and her fiance, Ensign Roswell Miller, U.S.N., was taken recently at Mariners' Harbor, S. I., at a luncheon which followed the launching of the steamship Strathmaver in the yards of the Downey Shipbuilding Corporation. Miss Carnegie presented a set of signal flags to the Strathmaver. The engagement of Miss Carnegie to Mr. Miller was announced last November. Mr. Miller's father, the late Roswell Miller, was president of the Chicago, Milwaukee and St. Paul Railway Company.

ADVANCING RUMANIANS TAKE HUNGARIAN TOWNS

Assassinations Of Bourgeois Threatened If Allies Occupy Country

(Reuter's Agency War Service)

Berne, April 28.—A Rumanian official communique dated the 25th announces the capture on the 20th of eight Hungarian towns, including Grosswardein, with hundreds of prisoners and several railways. The population everywhere was very friendly.

Report Of Attacks

Copenhagen, April 27.—A message from Budapest today admits that the Rumanians are attacking, and the Northern wing of their Eastern armies has reached Nagy-Kallo while, from the South, they are advancing towards The Theiss Bend near Chap.

The South-Slavs, on the Southern front, have attacked from Battasyek in the direction of Szegszard and have forced back the Hungarians a distance of some kilometers.

Threaten Assassinations

Berlin, April 27.—It is reported from Budapest that the Communists have arrested hundreds of prominent Bourgeois, who will be assassinated if the Rumanian and Allied troops occupy Hungary.

General Berthelot has arrived at Herrmannstadt, in Transylvania, and has issued a proclamation that the Allied armies will occupy Hungary and restore order.

Ask For Armistice

Paris, April 28.—From a Rumanian source it is reported that the Hungarian Soviet Commissary, Belakun, has made overtures to the Rumanian headquarters with a view to an armistice.

U.S. Victory Stamps On Sale Here Today

New Postal Issue Received At Local Office; Also Airplane Stamps

The first new United States "Victory" stamps to reach Shanghai have been received at the American Post Office and collectors will have a chance of further decorate their albums today when the new issue goes on sale. The stamps are of the 3-cent denomination and 10,000 were received here in the first consignment.

With the same shipment were also received U. S. Aerial post stickers of 6, 16 and 24-cent variety, by the use of which consignors of matter to New York may take advantage of the Chicago-New York airplane post. The rate between Chicago and New York by air is 6 cents an ounce.

WHITE SEA COAST TOWN IS CAPTURED BY FINNS

Believed Torpedo Flotilla Of Bolsheviki Has Also Been Taken By Them

(Reuter's Agency War Service)

Helsingfors, April 27.—It is reported that a Finnish force has captured the town of Lotinanpolte on the White Sea coast, an important strategic junction of roads and the Petrograd-Murman Railway. The Bolshevik torpedo flotilla stationed here would be unable to escape and doubtless is captured. Further Finnish detachments are advancing upon Petroskoi, the capital of the Province of Olonetz.

The Finnish losses in these encounters have been five killed and 20 wounded while the Bolsheviki lost several hundreds killed and wounded.

About 4,000 Red troops in the Petroskoi district have been driven back by the British, who arrived at Pandene recently and severely defeated the enemy at Sekehinkuelae Station.

CHINA TEAM CHAMPIONS IN OLYMPIC FOOTBALL

Defeat Philippines At Soccer; Also Win In Volleyball And The Pentathlon Events

(China Press Staff Correspondence)

Manila, May 15.—China annexed the soccer championship in the Far Eastern Olympic games today by beating the Philippines team 2 to 1 and the Filipino boys reversed matters in basketball, winning from the Chinese athletes by a 43 to 19 score.

China also took the honors today in volleyball, defeating the Philippines players. The deciding match in this branch will be played tomorrow.

In the Pentathlon China took first and second and Philippines third, the marks of all three men passing the record. Hsing Chuang-kuan, Tuan Hung-yin and Villanueva were the scorers and the scores were 360, 357 and 318.

In the swimming finals records were broken in the quarter and the hundred-yard backstroke events. In the former Uchida took first honors for Japan, with Liong Kwok-san, for China, second and Ongsinguan, Philippines, third. The time was 6:38 3-5. In the second event Gaddi, Arzadum and Fernandez, Filipinos, swept all honors, the time being 1:21 1-5.

Mikami took the tennis singles championship owing to the ruling making Fargas inelegible following his seizure with cramps on Wednesday.

In the swimming trials Philippines qualified six contestants, China five and Japan one.

The Chinese athletes leave for Hongkong tomorrow evening.

JAPANESE INTERESTS OF ALL KINDS FEEL EFFECT OF BOYCOTT

Advertisements, Currency And Wares Of Every Sort Are Placed Under Ban

POSTERS ARE TAKEN DOWN

Colorful Nipponese Circulars Removed From Bill Boards Throughout City

Following the lead of the Hsin Shen Pao, all the other Chinese papers in Shanghai yesterday announced that they would no longer publish Japanese news, mail information or advertisements. The embargo on things Japanese is now complete as no Japanese goods will be given any publicity through the Chinese press.

The papers which announced the embargo were the Shun Pao, the Sin Wan Pao, the Eastern Times, the National Herald, the China Times, the Chung Hwa Hsin Pao and the Republican Daily News. Only the Yah Chow Ji Pao is left out the fold, but as this paper is financed by Japanese, its reluctance in taking the stand of the boycotters was fully expected. The paper, however, has a very limited circulation among the Chinese.

Other Channels Closed

Nor are the walls, telephone and telegraph posts of the Shanghai City, public resorts and teashops and restaurants, which have heretofore been used freely by Japanese for advertising mediums, to be permitted any longer to display the colorful porters of the island products, because an organised team performed some thorough and systematic work of house-cleaning yesterday and Wednesday. The bills were torn down, signboards dismanteled and all forms of Japanese publicity made to disappear.

Certain newspapers have undertaken to publish blacklists of the various trade enterprises undertaken by Japanese. A list of Japanese owned vessels appeared yesterday, giving details of their owners and the names of the Chinese compradores engaged by the owners. Lists of other Japanese interests will be published daily.

The boycott against Japanese bank notes is now complete. Throughout the Settlements and the Chinese districts yesterday not a single shop or individual would accept the bills. Those who have business dealings with Japanese and had to accept Japanese notes from them were forced to exchange them for silver. The Yokohama Specie Bank was crowded during the entire banking hours with silver exchangers and deposit drawers yesterday.

Students Take Action

Thirty students of the Pootung Normal School who planned an educational mission to the islands have decided to give up the trip. Graduates of the Kiangsu Second Provincial Normal School, who send a yearly deputation to Japan to further their studies, have also decided not to enter the Japanese colleges. Other students contemplating training in Japanese colleges have been advised to go elsewhere in view of the cruel treatment accorded to the Chinese students in the land of the Rising Sun.

In view of the effective boycott throughout the country, the Association of Importers of Japanese Goods met yesterday and decided to telegraph to their respective agents in Japan not to order any more goods. Members all signed a pledge that after the selling out of their present stocks, they would not order one more cent's worth of Nipponese articles.

Push Chinese Goods

The China Native Products Development Association held a general meeting yesterday, at which plans were formulated to push the China made products to replace the Japanese articles. Lists of articles suitable to substitute the once popular Japanese goods are being prepared and will be published in the local Chinese press and in the form of handbills for public information.

The Commercial Press has devised a way to sell their toys by allowing the small peddlers to deliver certain quantities of the toys without having to pay for them, provided their payment is guaranteed. This will, it is understood, assist the petty traders considerably in ousting the Nipponese toys, which have gained a stronghold on the Shanghai market.

Several associations are conducting a thorough investigation about the genuine native products; as it is learned that many articles branded as home made are really Japanese manufactured goods in imitation of the Chinese. Any products under such disguise will also be boycotted.

Pershing's Son And Guardian Leave For France

Warren Pershing and Sergeant Welz.

Warren Pershing, fourteen-year-old son of General Pershing, and Sergeant Joseph A. Welz, U.S.A., photographed as they were leaving for France, where Warren will visit his father. Master Warren has not seen his dad since the latter left for France early in 1917. Secretary of War Baker selected Sergeant Welz to act as Warren's guardian during the trip from the United States to General Pershing's headquarters in France. Sergeant Welz is a winner of the French Croix de Guerre, awarded to him for gallantry in action.

Japanese Deport Koreans From Here By Trickery

French Authorities Aroused When It Is Found That Prisoners Have Been Removed

An incident of Japanese high-handedness which will probably have its repercussion in Peking occurred here yesterday when two Koreans, arrested in the French Concession on the strength of warrants charging them with criminal acts, were sent by the Kohuko Maru to Korea for trial, evidently without preliminary hearings here.

The criminal charges laid against the men, one of whom is of considerable prominence, are declared by their friends to have been trumped up for the benefit of the French authorities in order to enable the arrests. The real motive, it is declared, was political, the men being suspected of lending sympathy and support to the Korean movement for independence. It is also stated that the two men arrested were not the men most ardently sought for by the Japanese, but that these eluded capture.

Protest May Be Made

It is understood that the French authorities are very much exercised over the matter, holding the proceedings to have been in the nature of a deception and contrary to all precedent and accepted mode of procedure and it was stated in several quarters yesterday that a protest will be lodged in Peking.

The men arrested by the Japanese, with the assistance of the French police, were one Sin Hun-ming, or Sen Shie-men, and one Yuen Wun-san. The first named is the son of a former Korean Minister and has lived in the French Settlement for over four years, his residence being on the Rue Eugene Bard. The accusation of "robbery and intimidation" contained in the warrant is declared by his friends to be not only impossible but ludicrous, since he is in easy circumstances, and it is also claimed that he was not active politically.

The story of the arrests, as it was gathered from various sources yesterday, is briefly this:

Ask For Arrests

Early in the week the Japanese authorities made request to the French authorities for the arrest of twelve Koreans. They were told that formal warrants showing cause would have to be issued against the men before the authority of arrest and co-operation of the French police could be given. On Wednesday warrants for several Koreans, four it is believed, were presented at the French Consulate for countersigning. The charge was "robbery and intimidation." The warrants being endorsed, the Japanese police, accompanied by members of the French force, went to the addresses given. Here no one known under the names set forth in the warrants could be found. But while search was still being made Sin or Sen was seen. The Japanese thereupon explained that they had made a mistake, that this was one of the men wanted. The French police declined to allow the arrest until a specific warrant was forthcoming and, leaving a part of the party on the spot, a hurried trip was made to the Japanese Consulate and the required document was issued and the arrest made.

Finds Man Missing

When the man was handed over by the French authorities, it is declared, the understanding was that he would be given a trial here in Shanghai in the Japanese Consular Court. Korean friends of the arrested man also believed that this would be the case and sought out an attorney to defend him. The French authorities likewise instructed a lawyer to watch the case as is the legal precedent. Presuming that the hearing would come yesterday morning or soon thereafter, the legal representative called at the Japanese Consulate early yesterday and asked to see Sin. He was informed that the prisoner had already been sent to Dairen. With him was also sent Yuen Wun-san, who had been taken on Wednesday by the Japanese police under somewhat similar circumstances.

German Missionaries Seeking Privileges

Hope Held Treaty Will Give Them Right To Pursue Their Activities Unhampered

(Reuter's Agency War Service)

Copenhagen, April 29.—A message from Berlin states that the Foreign Office has received over a hundred telegrams from missionary societies hoping that the Peace Treaty will assure to German missionaries the complete right of settlement and unhindered activity in the overseas possessions of all nations.

Liberal Is Elected In Central Aberdeen

Coalition Unionist Candidate And Labor Party Man Are Defeated

(Reuter's Agency War Service)

London, April 30.—In the bye-election at Central Aberdeen caused by the death of Lt.-Colonel A. T. Gordon, the Coalition Unionist member, Major Wood, Liberal, polled 4,950 votes, Mr. L. Davidson, Coalition Unionist, polled 4,764 votes and Mr. J. F. Duncan, Labor, polled 3,482 votes.

BERLIN STAGGERED BY TERMS IMPOSED IN PEACE TREATY

All Classes Said To Be Strongly Opposed To Signing It

THREAT IS BLUFF?

Is Not Believed Germans Really Mean To Leave Versailles

CHANGES SOUGHT

Opportunity To Present Counter-Proposals Is Asked By Teutons

(Reuter's Agency War Service)

London, May 10.—The peace terms have staggered Berlin and it is reported that all classes in Germany are against signing the Treaty.

The German threats to leave Versailles are regarded as mere bluff.

The Germans suggest a joint conference at Versailles to consider the German counter-proposals.

Plenary Session Held

London, April 26.—An official communique from Paris says that the Plenary Session today of the Peace Conference opened this afternoon. The air was full of suppressed excitement, in anticipation of stormy proceedings.

President Wilson, presenting the amended League of Nation Covenant, explained that the alterations were mostly changes in phraseology, not in substance.

Makino Is Heard

Baron Makino proposed the Japanese amendment asking for just and equal treatment of members of the League. He urged governments to recognise the seriousness of the question and pointed out the military liability imposed by the Covenant necessitated equality between its members and the equality of nations should be a fundamental principle of the League.

M. Leon Bourgeois said that the French delegates regretted that arbitration was not made compulsory.

The amendments were afterwards withdrawn and the Covenant adopted.

It is understood that the Japanese and French amendments will be left to the decision of the League of Nations itself.

Accepts Labor Program

The Conference also carried the revised nine points which the Labor Commission wish embodied in the Treaty of Peace, Sir Robert Borden pointing out that the clauses of the new draft were merely an enunciation of principles and not definite rules.

Report Is Denied

Paris, April 28.—Le Matin states that the best informed Italian circles categorically deny the report that a placard was posted up in Rome announcing the annexation of Fiume.

The Italian Ambassador, though invited, does not attend the meeting of the Plenary Peace Conference today, at which the amended Covenant of the League of Nations will be discussed; Belgium will move an amendment substituting Brussels for Geneva as the seat of the League and the Japanese will move an amendment affirming the members of the League to stand upon a basis of equality and guarantee just and fair treatment to each other's nationals. This principle was conceded by the League Commission by a slight majority but President Wilson ruled that unanimity was essential, hence the re-introduction of the claim.

Germans Voice Complaints

Paris, April 26.—The vanguard of the German Delegates have arrived at Versailles. They have already begun to complain of the lack of accommodation, despite the sumptious apartments assigned to them, and claim free access to the whole Park of Versailles. The French have refused this, pointing out that the facilities given the German Delegates are very generous ones.

Opposed Trying Kaiser

London, April 30.—The Paris correspondent of the Daily Express states that the original War Responsibilities Commission reported against the prosecution of the ex-Kaiser, which America and Japan also opposed. Certain changes were insisted on by the British delegates on the advice of the South African representatives and President Wilson gave way at the last moment; hence the prosecution of the ex-Kaiser will be among the conditions of Peace.

SOLUTION NOT REACHED IN ADRIATIC QUESTION

Return To Italy Of Orlando Proves Occasion Of Wild Burst Of Enthusiasm

(Reuter's Agency War Service)

Paris, April 26.—The Italian Delegates have issued a statement denying the accuracy of the report emanating from Rome that the Adriatic difficulty is in course of solution. It ridicules the indicated solution that Fiume will be autonomously administered but under Jugo-Slav sovereignty and the control of Italy.

Rome, April 26.—Signor Orlando has arrived and met with a most enthusiastic reception.

Defends Action Taken

Rome, April 26.—Signor Orlando, addressing the multitude at the station, warmly defended Italy's standpoint, arousing frantic enthusiasm.

Signor Orlando went in procession to the Quirinal with their Imperial Majesties, where they appeared on the balcony and had an ovation.

Sees Course Justified

Rome, April 26.—Addressing the crowd at the railway station on his arrival, Signor Orlando, with tears in his eyes, said that the demonstrations of the Italians in Paris and the popular demonstrations in Italy during his journey to Rome proved that the Italian Delegation had faithfully interpreted the will of the people.

The situation was grave and Italy might be confronted with fresh and greater sacrifices and privations but Italy was greater than ever and was ready. Food supplies were failing but Italy, which had known hunger, had never known dishonor. "Perhaps we shall find ourselves alone but Italy must be united and have a single will. Italy will not perish."

Cheers For America

The speech was punctuated with cheers for America and Italy and cries of "Down with Wilson" and of "We will face anything."

General Diaz and Signor Barzila spoke in similar terms and were acclaimed.

The crowd then dragged the automobile containing the Delegates and the Mayor of Rome to the Quirinal, forcing their way with difficulty through the masses of people and flowers thrown from the windows. A group of British officers at one point shouted "Long live the Italian Army." The crowd responded, "Long live Great Britain." It took two hours for the car to traverse the short distance to the Quirinal where meanwhile scenes of enthusiasm were occurring and their Majesties were repeatedly called to the balcony. They reappeared when the automobile arrived. Signor Orlando and General Diaz, standing up in the car saluted King Emmanuel, who responded.

Given Ovations

Signor Orlando and his companions went on the balcony and the ovations continued for a long time.

There were great demonstrations at Fiume, Trieste and Bologna on Friday protesting against the "attempt to infringe the sanctity of Italy's right to Fiume and Dalmatia."

Turin, April 25.—Signor Orlando, General Diaz and Signor Barzilai were welcomed at the station by an enormous and enthusiastic crowd.

Signor Orlando, in a speech, said, amid frantic cheers, that he was convinced his attitude in Paris during the past six weeks corresponded with the feelings of his country.

The party motored to the Prefecture, where Signor Orlando again addressed the crowd from the balcony. The delegates returned to the station accompanied by a cheering crowd.

Rome, April 29.—The Chamber of Deputies, by 380 votes to 40, passed a vote of confidence in the government, after Signor Orlando's speech, amid scenes of the greatest enthusiasm.

Rome, April 29.—The Chamber of Deputies was crowded and the Premier, Signor Orlando, received an ovation when he entered.

He reviewed the discussions in Paris and mentioned that President Wilson on the 14th handed him a memorandum on the subject of the Italian claims. His refusal to accept this and a threat to leave the Conference led to further conversations with a view to a compromise, which was ended by the publication of President Wilson's manifesto.

Signor Orlando said that Great Britain and France had always very loyally acknowledged their pledge of honor to Italy.

He described the accusation of imperialism against Italy as an insult and declared that the Italians had not displayed greed when billions were being demanded for reparation or the division of the rich and vast territories in Asia and Africa were being discussed but their passion, energy and will were aroused when they heard the grievous cries of their brothers. They appealed to the Allied peoples and governments on the ground of blood-fellowship, not on the letter of a treaty. They desired and were resolved that the Alliance shall not be broken up and that all the peoples who had shed blood in common, especially the Americans, who had sacrificed themselves for the victory of an ideal, shall continue loyal Allies. Hence the Italian Government had solemnly declared that it was animated by a spirit of conciliation.

There were similar scenes of enthusiasm in the Senate, where Signor Orlando repeated his speech.

Signor Tittoni, who followed, expressed the hope that this imposing demonstration of national solidarity would make Italy's cause understood. The Senate unanimously voted confidence in the government.

Britain's Military Needs Outlined In House Of Commons

Unemployment Donation Dealt With In Address Made By Minister Of Labor

(Reuter's Agency War Service)

London, April 29.—In the House of Commons, during question time, Mr. Winston Churchill stated that the Cabinet had decided to recall to the army soldiers working on the land after very careful consideration. The men were very urgently required for special military duties in France, on the Rhine and elsewhere. They are ineligible for demobilisation at present. Every effort, he said, would be made to meet any consequent inconvenience.

Ireland, Egypt and India, the Army of the Rhine, the Imperial War Graves Commission and the Department of Agriculture were all clamoring for men. He was confronted with extreme difficulties in meeting the manifold needs of public service at the present time but certain vital needs must be met.

The Minister of Labor, defending the payment of the unemployment donation, pointed out that the million recipients included 350,000 members of the forces, 108,000 former munition workers and 100,000 cotton operatives who were not being employed owing to the blockade. Abuses were inevitable but he was confident that half the complaints were without foundation. Any frauds discovered would be prosecuted relentlessly, he said.

Since the armistice three million out of four million demobilised soldiers and civilians had been absorbed in industry. This was a remarkable achievement because it took years to get from war work to peace work. Also the Central Empires and Russia were closed to us and China, Japan and New Zealand, which used to take another quarter, were practically cut off by shipping difficulties. Therefore there was no need to despair concerning the future.

STRIKE PROCLAMATION BRINGS ORDER TO EGYPT

Recognition Given To British Protectorate By United States Also Has Effect

(Reuter's Agency War Service)

Cairo, April 23.—General Sir Edmund Allenby's proclamation resulted in a great majority of the Government employes immediately returning to work this morning.

All the more sober thinking Egyptians feel that immoderation, whether in demands or agitation, will only lead to disappointment and disaster.

The American recognition of the British Protectorate over Egypt has also acted as a cold douche on the extremists. That the very country responsible for the doctrine of self-determination of peoples, which doctrine has been so completely and calamitously misunderstood in these Eastern Lands, should take the lead in recognising Great Britain's position in Egypt brought home with added force the futility of their exaggerated aspirations.

Mission To Be Sent

London, April 28.—Reuter's Agency learns that the Government is considering a proposal to send a special mission to Egypt, with Lord Milner at the head, to report to the Home Government on the question concerning the constitution of the Protectorate. It has not yet been decided whether Lord Milner will go.

FIELD MARSHAL FRENCH GIVES MORE WAR VIEWS

In New Instalment Of Book He Tells Of Visit To Poincare In August Of 1914

(Reuter's Agency War Service)

London, April 30.—A further instalment of the book written by Field Marshal Viscount French describes his visit to President Poincare on August 15, 1914. He found the President very hopeful concerning the victorious advance of the Allies. President Poincare discoursed playfully on the possibility of the British fighting another Battle of Waterloo.

Viscount French says that history will rank Marshal Joffre as one of our supremely great leaders.

He says that he asked Marshal Joffre on August 16, 1914, as the British army was posted on the left or exposed flank, to place a French cavalry division and two Reserve divisions under his (French's) orders. Marshal Joffre was unable to do this. Viscount French says he was not surprised when General Lanrezac turned out to be a most complete example of the Staff College pedant, whose "superior education" had given him little idea how to conduct war.

Viscount French discloses that he asked for General Plumer to succeed General Grierson in command of the Second Army Corps and that General Smith-Dorrien was sent out without reference to Viscount French.

SOCIALIST LABOR BODY HAS BEGUN SESSIONS

Delegates From Twenty-Eight Countries Will Attend Amsterdam Meeting

(Reuter's Agency War Service)

Amsterdam, April 26.—The permanent Commission of the International Labor Socialist Conference recently held at Berne has begun its sittings. Delegates from Great Britain, Ireland, Russia, Sweden, France, Argentina, Denmark, Esthonia and Belgium were present.

Delegates from twenty-eight countries have announced their intention of attending. The German delegates are arriving tomorrow.

The Commission considered a project for an Internationale based upon the trade-union, socialist and co-operative movements in all countries. It is expected to make a pronouncement on the Italian crisis.

Uphold Fourteen Points

Amsterdam, April 28.—The International Socialist Conference has passed a resolution to oppose any peace conflicting with President Wilson's fourteen points. It recommended sending a Committee comprising Dr. Branting, M. Heysmans, Mr. Arthur Henderson and others to remain in Paris, until the peace preliminaries have been signed, owing to the uneasiness caused by the decisions of the Peace Conference this Committee is charged to demand an interview with the Big Four.

GERMANS BY RUSE SEIZE LETTISH GOVERNMENT

Protest Of Representatives Of Allies At Libau Is Without Effect

(Reuter's Agency War Service)

Libau, April 27.—The Baltic German troops who were operating against the Bolsheviki were brought back to Libau ostensibly for rest but they have overthrown the Lettish Provisional Government. The coup d'etat was carried out with the connivance of General von Der Goltz, the German generalissimo in Lettland. Replying to a protest by the Allies representatives at Libau, General von Der Goltz denied any responsibility but has taken no steps to liberate the members of the Lettish cabinet.

It is pointed out that the necessity has hereby arisen for the enforcement of clause twelve in the Armistice Treaty.

New Government Formed

Libau, April 26.—A new Government has been formed composed of six Letts and four Germans with the Reverend Needra as Premier. The Jews and workmen are not represented.

Demand Is Presented

Berlin, April 29.—Great Britain had demanded the restoration of the position at Libau as it existed before the coup d'etat.

The German Government, replying to the Allied protest, declared that the revolution in Lettland was the work of natives. The Zwoelfuhrblatt, however, represents it as a pan-German reactionary intrigue, very strongly condemns the coup d'etat and says that Germany needs peace, yet this affair is proof that the German policy of intrigue is still being played.

Court Fixes Status Of Co-Defendants In Sharebrokers' Case

Further Hearing Of Share Association Action Held In British Supreme Court

There was a further hearing before Sir Havilland de Sausmarez in the British Supreme Court yesterday of the case brought by the Shanghai Sharebrokers' Association against Mr. J. A. Hayes, in which misapplication of securities of the plaintiff company is claimed through their having been put in control of F. J. d'Almeida, a member of the Association.

There was considerable argument as to the exact status of the case, the court at the last session having directed that the defendant should give notice of the proceedings to certain other persons said to have been involved in the transaction. Since the beginning of the action the names of Messrs. J. M. S. Burr, E. H. Shibbeth, A. Lyons, A. J. Harger and M. David have been added as parties and yesterday Mr. H. A. Meyer also appeared in court. All of these are British subjects. Others who were among the Association officials at the time are non-British and regarding these the court said that it did not see how it could make an order.

After considerable further discussion Sir Havilland made the following order:

"The question of the liability of the defendant to the new parties to be tried at the trial of the action, but after the determination of the rights of the plaintiffs and defendants and that the added parties, on such determination, have liberty to apply for delivery of a statement of claim."

Mr. H. P. Wilkinson appeared for the plaintiffs, Mr. D. McNeill for Mr. Hayes and Messrs. E. W. Godfrey and J. G. Priestwood represented other clients.

FISHING RESTRICTIONS IN KATTEGAT LIFTED

Trade Channels To Neutrals Also Opened By Supreme Economic Council

(Reuter's Agency War Service)

London, April 30.—An official communique from Paris states that the Supreme Economic Council reports that the Naval Armistice authorities have removed the restrictions on fishing in the Kattegat and extended the North Sea fishing limits.

Steps have been taken to permit the importation of all commodities, except war material, in northern neutral countries and Switzerland and the transportation of foodstuffs from those countries to Germany without restrictions.

To facilitate commerce and the forwarding of relief supplies, the Council has decided to permit shipments of all commodities except munitions through Germany under license. It also considered the questions of facilitating traffic on the Danube and increasing coal production in Austria-Hungary and Poland.

FRENCH WORKERS STRIKE

(Reuter's Agency War Service)

Paris, April 26.—The French transport-workers have decided to strike for 24 hours on May 1.

Wedding

Pereira-Remedios

Mr. Vicente Pereira and Miss Lilia Maria dos Remedios were married at the Roman Catholic Church, Nansing Road, yesterday morning by the Rev. Father Jacquinot in the presence of many friends.

Mr. C. C. dos Remedios accompanied the bride, and Mr. Jose Pereira acted as best man. The bride, who was given away by her father, Mr. Roberto P. dos Remedios, wore a wedding gown of silk crepe de chine trimmed with silver braid. Her veil of fine netting and silk embroidery was smartly caught up in her hair with a crown of orange blossoms and flowed into a long train which was borne by two dainty little bridesmaids. She carried a shower bouquet of white carnations and lilies. Miss Florie Remedios, a sister of the bride, was the principal bridesmaid, and was charmingly dressed in pink silk, carrying a bouquet of pink carnations. She was accompanied by her three little sisters as flower girls, and a little boy as page.

At the reception held later in the house of the bridegroom's parents, which will also be their future home, the young couple were the recipients of hearty congratulations and good wishes. Mr. Jose Pereira proposed a toast to the newly married pair and Mr. C. C. dos Remedios also spoke, voicing the good wishes of the community.

Mr. and Mrs. V. Pereira leave for their honeymoon today on the Empress of Asia for Hongkong via Manila, and expect to be away for about a month.

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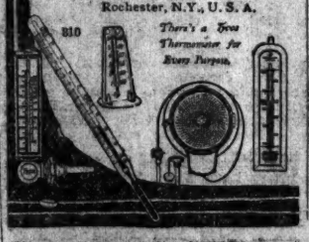

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Proposal China Should Sign Treaty Rejected By Members Of Parliament At Peking

Decision Is Reached At Special Meeting Called At President's Palace As Result Of Cable From Chief Delegate

(From Our Own Correspondent)

Peking, May 12.—As a result of a cable which the Peking Government received yesterday from chief delegate, Lu Cheng-hsiang, a special and informal meeting was called at the President's palace today to which the members of Parliament and Chen Lu, Acting Minister for Foreign Affairs, were invited. Lu Cheng-hsiang's message, which was sent from Paris on the second of this month, said that the Chinese delegation had not yet been officially informed of the contents of the preliminary peace treaty in as far as they concerned Shantung. The Chinese delegates were, however, aware of its contents and desirous of opposing the Shantung clause. With this end in view they requested the Government to take up with Parliament the question as to whether or not they were to sign the treaty and to inform them with as little delay as possible of Parliament's decision. If instructed not to sign, they would first express publicly their disappointment resulting from the unfavorable Shantung clause, and would later formally oppose the turning over of Germany's rights in Shantung to Japan.

Prior to the meeting at the Presidential palace, the Club of 1919, to which a large number of members of Parliament belong, held a meeting at its headquarters. This meeting opened at 11 o'clock, when Yu Pao-hsuan, Vice-Minister of the Interior, read to those present a paper summarising the events in the history of Tsingtau since the Germans took it over, and dwelling particularly on the happenings of 1914, 1915, 1918 and 1919.

Foresees Dangers

The question of signing the Treaty of Peace was then brought up, and Vice-Minister Yu called the attention of the members to certain dangers that would threaten China if the delegates refused to sign. He said that Kiaochow was now in the hands of the Japanese, and that there was no hope that it would be returned to China. China had, furthermore, entered into a treaty agreement with Japan regarding Tsingtau, and, if none of the Powers were able to help China in getting better terms than her own treaties provided for, nothing could stop Japan from taking what she felt was hers in Shantung. Then, too, the refusal of this country to sign the treaty might arouse Japan to a show of force out here; and in this event what country would come forward to stop her?

Mr. Yu added that there were two other points which occurred to him in connection with the question of signing the treaty. First, if China did not sign, she would not be a beneficiary under the treaty, but would be left alone to fight out with Germany the questions of extra-territoriality and the payment of the Boxer Indemnity. And, secondly, by failing to sign the treaty China would exclude herself from membership in the League of Nations. All of these points were, Mr. Yu thought, worthy of careful consideration before this country committed itself to a final and far-reaching step.

Other Views Presented

Several members from Shantung followed Mr. Yu with speeches opposing his arguments, and one of them, Hsien Hung-tao, summed up Yu's speech in the following comparison: he asked what the Vice-Minister would do if his wife were kidnapped by a thief? Would he make direct efforts to get her back from the thief, or would he first sign an agreement with the thief stating that the woman was the property of the thief, but engaging this individual, by a counter-agreement, to return her to her rightful husband?

A member from Kiangsi named Lu Tsai-fu hereupon arose to speak in support of the Vice-Minister's argument, but was unable to get very far, as several Shantung members rushed him off his feet in an attempt to hit him. The intervention of other members stopped the fight, and Lu Tsai-fu left the club immediately. It was then unanimously decided that China should not sign the Treaty of Peace, and with this determination the Club of 1919 joined the remaining members of Parliament at the President's palace at one o'clock.

Chen Lu, Acting Minister for Foreign Affairs, opened the proceedings with a summary of recent events relative to the Tsingtau issue and concluded his remarks with a statement coinciding with that of Yu Pao-hsuan in practically every detail. His advocacy of the signing of the Treaty of Peace by China's delegates was opposed by numerous members of the Anfu Party, the last of whom to take a stand against Chen Lu being Wang Yi-tang, the Speaker of the House and leader of the Anfu Party in Parliament. Wang said that all party politics should be set aside in the consideration of the Tsingtau question and that only the best interests of the country should carry weight. From this point of view he and the members of his party opposed the signing of any treaty that gave Tsingtau to Japan, and they would make their opposition effective when the question of signing the Treaty of Paris was formally submitted to Parliament.

University Chancellor Praises Students' Action

Tsai Yuan-pei, Chancellor of the Government University here, addressed a letter from Tientsin to the student body yesterday. He said to the undergraduates: "I believe that what you did on May fourth was sincere and came from the depths of your hearts as being for the welfare of your beloved country. I, too, am a citizen of China, and so I cannot criticise what you have done. But as Chancellor of the University I was responsible for your acts, and so I had to resign. I ought to have done this on the 5th, but at that time some of you were in prison, and I thought it best to stay with you and help them. When the Minister of Education and the Chief of Police got your comrades out of prison there was no further need of my presence in Peking; therefore I resigned and went to Tientsin without telling any one about it. The Government will thus not find it necessary to follow the usual custom of refusing my resignation, and thus my successor can be appointed all the sooner. I was afraid that you, my students, would think that I was dissatisfied with you and that I had therefore deserted you. This is not the case. You have my best wishes in serving your country's cause, and my heart is with you."

Situation Was Difficult

Tsai's position at the University has long been a difficult one, as the old-school professors have hated him for his policy of non-interference in the struggle between the old and new lines of educational thought. For this reason Tsai arranged some time ago to spend the Summer in Shanghai, where he had signed a contract to write a series of educational essays for the Commercial Press. It is understood that Tsai is now on his way to Shanghai and that he will take up his literary work there at once.

Another explanation of Tsai's resignation and departure is that the Japanese have tried to revive the Pan-Asian movement of 1916-17, which flourished for a few months, but was finally laughed out of existence by the foreign press. At that time Tsai endorsed a pamphlet containing Pan-Asian doctrines, and the Japanese felt that he could be useful to them at this juncture in starting a revival of the slogan "Asia for the Asiatics." Tsai refused to have anything to do with this proposal, however, and, when he found that the pro-Japanese officials in the Government were making his position too hot for him to hold, threw in his lot with the students. His support of the students, who could have done little without him, is regarded as the most important single act in Peking's campaign of national awakening during the past ten days. But he could not hold on at the University in the face of his enemies; hence his resignation and sudden departure.

Peking College Students Conduct Lecture Campaign

The Tsinghua College has now allied itself to the general lecturing campaign that is going on throughout Peking, and yesterday they sent in 70 men to make short open-air addresses all over the city on such subjects as the Tsingtau question, China's traitors and the boycott of Japanese goods. They travel about town in groups of from 10 to 15 men bearing a flag with the inscription: "Lecture Group from Tsinghua College." The students from the Government University and the Higher Technical College are carrying on their lecture campaign in exactly the same manner.

The lecturing groups have, on the whole, been orderly both yesterday and today, but two Tsinghua men were arrested last evening for making speeches that the police regarded as too inflammatory and for refusing either to stop or to move on. These students are still in jail, but their release is expected hourly.

Circulars Are Distributed

Another phase of the lecturing campaign is the distribution of pamphlets and leaflets by the students. Some of these are entirely above criticism from any point of view; others are not. Of the two most generally circularised one gives a map of China showing Japan's spheres of control and explaining how the possession of Tsingtau by Japan opens up the heart of China to her. The Tientsin-Pukow line, it says, connects with Shantung Railway and gives Japan ready access to either the Yangtsze Valley or Tientsin and Peking.

Another group of lecturers has been working in the East City for the past few days, but this time it is not Chinese students who are doing the talking. A number of Japanese dressed in Chinese clothes have been holding street-corner meetings off Hatamen and have been telling their audiences that the blame for China's defeat at Paris should be laid at the door of those who most deserve it, the Americans and the British, who have led China on to the belief that Tsingtau would be returned to her only to let her down ignominiously at the last moment.

These orators say that the Americans and British never keep their pledged word, and that the yellow races should hold together against them. With Japan, her blood brother, the partner of her literature, thoughts and ideals, China can do much to become strong and shake off the tutelage of the Western races. Without Japan China has no chance.

NANKING STUDENTS ACT

(China Press Correspondence)

Nanking, May 14.—The Nanking Overseas students, through their President and representative, Mr. Walter H. Chen, sent out the following telegrams:

"Peking Cabinet, Peking. Nanking Overseas students demand immediate release of students arrested on the fourth; the cancellation of all secret Japanese treaties; return of Tsingtau, and the dismissal and punishment of all pro-Japanese traitors now in Government service."

"Southern Constitutional Government, Canton. Nanking Overseas students demand cancellation secret Japanese treaties, the return of Tsingtau, and the dismissal and punishment of all pro-Japanese traitors serving in the Peking Government."

"Foreign Legations, care British Legation, Peking. Nanking Overseas students demand justice at the Paris Peace Conference, the return of Tsingtau, and the cancellation of all secret Japanese treaties."

"Chinese Delegates, care Chinese Legation, Paris. Nanking Oversea students demand immediate and unconditional return of Tsingtau, cancellation all secret Japanese treaties. No peace otherwise. Whole country supports you in these demands. Do not sign unless our demands are complied with. Inform Wilson, Clemenceau and Lloyd George."

Telegrams have been sent out in the joint names of the Shanghai and Nanking Overseas Students Association to Singapore, Java, and other places urging a stringent boycott on all Japanese and anything Japanese.

Royal Bucks Winner Of City And Suburban

Leads Arion By Length And Half With Dan Sellon In Third Place

(Reuter's Agency War Service)

London, April 30.—The City and Suburban was run at Epsom today with the following result:

Royal Bucks	1
Arion	2
Dan Sellon	3

Thirteen ran. Won by a length and a half; four lengths between second and third.

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6 to 1 against Royal Bucks.
100 to 7 against Arion.
5 to 2 against Dan Sellon.

Nasrullah Khan Held For Murder Of Amir

Is Sentenced To Imprisonment For Life According To Simla Message

(Reuter's Agency War Service)

London, April 26.—The Simla correspondent of the Times states that Nasrullah Khan has been convicted in Kabul of instigating the murder of the Amir and sentenced to imprisonment for life. An Afghan colonel who was the actual murderer has been executed.

Americans Preparing For Atlantic Flight

Navy Seaplane In Trial Trip Covers 1,250 Miles In Twenty Hours

(Reuter's Agency War Service)

Washington, April 27.—A navy seaplane in a trial flight has accomplished 1,250 miles in 20 hours.

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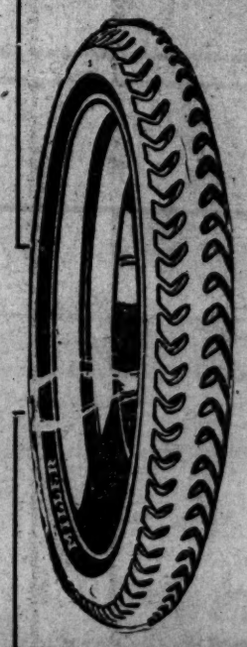

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(Reuter's Pacific Service)

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OVERSEAS SOLDIERS SEE PARADE IN LONDON

Triumphal March Through City Followed By Entertainments For The Men

(Reuter's Agency War Service)

London, April 26.—Every Overseas soldier and sailor on furlough in London, on May 3, will be afforded a unique opportunity of witnessing their comrades' triumphal march. Arrangements have been made for them to line the route; the Canadians along the Strand from the west to the Hotel Cecil; the Australians from there around Australia House, to Aldwych; the New Zealanders in Aldwych and the South Africans and the troops from the Crown Colonies along Kingsway. Neighboring mobilisation centers will be allotted in order to carry out these arrangements and a large number of the men will be subsequently entertained at a high tea followed by concerts and dancing.

The formation of the procession will be in eights.

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Today's Band Program

The following program will be played by the Band in the Hongkew Recreation Ground today, weather permitting, beginning at 5:30 p.m.:

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3. Waltz—Dream Ideals .....Frucik.
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6. Selection—Once Upon A Time Brookton.

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Food Controller In Address At Sheffield Tells Of Huge Shipments

(Reuter's Agency War Service)

London, April 28.—The Food Controller, speaking at Sheffield, said that, excluding Germany and Bulgaria, nearly 12,000 tons of foodstuffs daily were delivered in Europe during March in order to avert starvation while thousands of tons of food had actually been delivered to Germany since the relief arrangements were completed on March 14. Moreover, he said, during April a hundred thousand tons would be sent to Germany while plans were being formulated to feed systematically over a million children in liberated areas of central and eastern Europe. Furthermore, we were largely helping to feed France, Italy, Belgium, Greece, Switzerland and Portugal.

GERMAN WAR PRISONERS ARE TO BE LIBERATED

Those Held To Be Freed After Signing Of Peace Treaty, Ministers Decide

(Reuter's Agency War Service)

Paris, April 28.—La Liberte understands that the Foreign Ministers have settled the question of the release of German prisoners of war, who will gradually be liberated after the signing of the Treaty of Peace according as Germany contributes civilian workers for reconstruction work in France and Belgium.

SEES WILSON'S ACTION AS UNPRECEDENTED PLEA

Mr. J. H. Thomas, Laborite, In Address Takes Stand Against Secret Treaties

(Reuter's Agency War Service)

London, April 27.—The Laborite Mr. J. H. Thomas, at Crewe, said President Wilson made an unprecedented appeal to the judgment of mankind. He said that those in authority had no right to determine the lives and destinies of millions regardless of their sentiments. It was true we were committed to Italy by a secret treaty behind the backs of the people but we were living in a different age from 1916 and self-determination must be respected. Just as Italy, France and America contributed to the destruction of militarism, he said, they must find a world-solution to abolish war.

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DELEGATES ARE URGED TO RESUME CONFERENCE

Tang Shao-yi Is Firm; Will Not Continue Unless Demands On North Are Met

Efforts to reconcile the Northern and Southern delegations to the peace conference and bring about a resumption of the conference were made yesterday by the Amalgamated Peace Societies here, which sent a deputation headed by Mr. Shen Tung-ho to call on the chief delegates.

In the morning, the body visited Mr. Tang Shao-yi at his residence. Mr. Tang's attitude was firm. He said that the eight demands as made at the session Tuesday by the Southern delegation were presented after careful study and were considered to represent many concessions on the part of the South. Unless the Northern delegation consents to the demands, he said, it is impossible for him to reconsider his decision to resign.

The delegation called on Mr. Chu Chi-chien later and urged him to continue the peace conference. Mr. Chu stated that there was such a vast difference in view on the question of Parliament between the Northern and Southern delegations that it would be difficult to reconcile them. Therefore, Mr. Chu expressed the hope that some third organ would undertake to mediate.

To Give Polish Fete In Aid Of Destitute

A Polish fete in aid of destitute Poles will be given at the Cercle Sportif Francais on the evening of May 23. The fete will be under the patronage of the Allied Consuls.

Gompers Is Injured In Auto Accident

(Reuter's Agency War Service)

New York, April 27.—Mr. Samuel Gompers, the well known Labor Leader, has been thrown out of a motor car and fractured his ribs.

Trade Restrictions Into Holland Lifted

(Reuter's Agency War Service)

The Hague, April 27.—It is officially announced that all restrictions on the import to Holland of Overseas goods are rescinded so that the Netherlands Overseas Trust is authorised to grant licenses for unlimited supplies of goods, except war-materials.

Demonstration Held By Luxemburg People

(Reuter's Agency War Service)

Luxemburg, April 26.—A big demonstration has taken place in which the people demanded the right of self-determination based on President Wilson's principles.

News Brevities

The booking at Moutrie's for the opening performance of Miss Laura Guerite's company at the Lyceum Theater Saturday night is exceptionally brisk. The opening performance will be in the nature of a "vaudeville banquet."

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Detectives from Central Station raided a house in Peking Road yesterday afternoon and arrested 15 men and 6 women, all Cantonese, engaged in fan tan playing.

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The Canadian Pacific liner, Empress of Asia, is expected to arrive in port Saturday morning at 1 o'clock from Vancouver and Victoria, B.C., and Japanese ports. The tender to convey inward passengers from Woosung will reach the jetty at 9.30 o'clock in the morning.

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The engagement is announced of Captain I. D. Burris of the 15th United States Infantry to Miss Emillie Naftaly, youngest daughter of I. Naftaly of Tientsin.

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The annual general meeting of the Shanghai branch of the China Association will be held at the Shanghai Club Tuesday afternoon at 5:15 o'clock.

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The China Mutual Life Insurance Company, Ltd., will hold its annual general meeting at 10 Canton Road this afternoon at 4 o'clock.

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Eight Bolshevists, taken prisoner in Persia, were on board the Dilwara, which arrived from Bombay Wednesday. They were placed under guard of eight members of the Kirkee Contingent.

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The International Recreation Club will hold a meeting at Kiangwan a week from Saturday. Entries will close at the clubhouse on May 19, at 7 o'clock in the evening.

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The six Chinese sub-inspectors recently sent down from Peking to join the Municipal Police force go on duty at various stations today. One will be assigned to Central Station, one to Sinza, one to Louza, one to Hongkew, one to West Hongkew and one to the Western District.

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The Shanghai American School will hold its annual May "Frolic" at 5 p.m. today on the lawn of the Baptist Mission compound, North Szechuen Road. The public is invited.

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Subscriptions to the Chinese Children's Refuge for the ensuing year should be sent to Mrs. Peebles, 585 Great Western Road. An appeal has been made for support for this institution for homeless Chinese girls.

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The Industrial and Commercial Bank, Ltd., of Hongkong, has just formally opened a branch in Hankow. This bank, which is entirely Chinese owned, is operated on wholly modern lines and has been in existence in Hongkong for nearly two years.

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The "at home" which was to have been held last Monday by the Shanghai Cricket Club will be held today, weather permitting, and members will receive their friends between the hours of 5 and 7 p.m.

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An exhibition of work of the pupils of the Public School for Girls, 28 Boone Road, will be held today, tomorrow and Sunday from 3 to 6 p.m. All interested are invited to attend.

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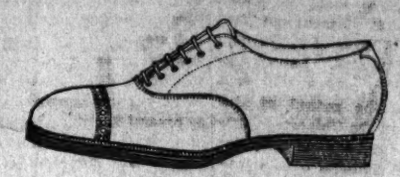

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EXHIBITION OF PAINTINGS OPENS AT PALACE TODAY

Japanese And Polish Artists Show Interesting Collection Of Oils And Water Colors

An interesting and extensive collection of oil and water color paintings done by Messrs. H. Ishii and K. Zieleniewski, will be on view to the public in the fifth floor banquet hall of the Palace Hotel, beginning at 10 o'clock this morning.

The paintings exhibited cover quite a range of subjects and present two different styles of work, in the consideration of which the local art lover should find a good deal to interest him.

Mr. Zieleniewski, who is a graduate of the Polish Academy des Beaux Arts, is exhibiting a collection of 55 pictures in oil. Among them are to be found a number done in a style leaning to the impressionistic. A lavish use of color characterises the majority of the works, bright tints being employed with particular effect in bits of landscape and city scenes done in China and Japan. His work includes studies made in Switzerland, Poland and Siberia as well and, done in the more conventional style, there are some portraits and still life studies which will commend themselves to the viewer. A number of sketches done in and around Shanghai are included in the collection.

Mr. Ishii is showing some twenty-odd oils and water colors, principally of scenes in China and Japan, and among these are a number of fascinating little works which give the first impression of glancing at old Japanese prints. Some especially good water effects are achieved in a series of scenes about Hangchow. The artist has also done some particularly good portrait work in a group of Chinese types and some glimpses of tea house interiors also call for attention.

The exhibition will continue to Sunday between the hours of 10 a.m. and 9 p.m.

Wants British Laws To Apply In Colonies

Dominions To Be Invited To Adopt Measures Of Home Government

(Reuter's Agency War Service)

London, April 30.—In the House of Commons today, during question time, Mr. A. Bonar Law stated that the principles of the Aliens Restrictions Bill were already embodied in the Indian legislation and the Colonies and Protectorates would be invited to adopt the general principles of any legislation adopted by the Home Government, so far as it was suitable to their circumstances.

Report Ukrainians Have Captured Kieff

Entire Peasantry Said To Be Opposing Bolsheviki In West

(Reuter's Agency War Service)

London, April 26.—A telegram from Berne dated April 25 states that the Ukrainian Government report that the Ukrainians have captured Kieff and the whole peasantry are revolting against the Bolsheviki in Western Ukraine.

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Right To Elect Members Of Commons Should Be Given, Rubber Growers Told

(Reuter's Agency War Service)

London, April 23.—At a meeting of the Rubber Growers' Association today Sir John Anderson said that the system under which the important Crown Colonies were not represented in Parliament except by a Colonial Secretary was out of date and must be altered. He suggested that each of the important Crown Colonies should be given the right to elect a representative to the House of Commons. The Crown Colonies had taken an important share in the war and, if only for this, it was surely time that they had some mark of recognition.

Indian Viceroy Gets Report From Jellicoe

(Reuter's Agency War Service)

Simla, April 24.—It is understood that Admiral Lord Jellicoe has handed to the Viceroy his report on naval affairs in Indian waters for submission to the Admiralty.

BELGIUM CANNOT SIGN UNLESS LOAN IS MADE

Credit Of At Least Hundred Million Pounds Is Needed To Avert Disaster

(Reuter's Agency War Service)

Paris, April 29.—It is stated in Belgian circles that unless Belgium immediately obtains a credit for at least one hundred million pounds it will be impossible to save the country from irretrievable disaster. It was the seriousness of the position which brought the Premier, M. Delacroix, and the other ministers to Paris.

It is stated that the Belgian delegates emphasised to the Council of Three today that unless the credit was granted it would be impossible for the Belgians to sign the Peace Treaty.

Middle School Sports

The Ching Chong Middle won the inter-middle school champion and the International Recreation Club Football Cup by defeating the Y.M.C.A. Middle School on the latter's own ground Wednesday afternoon. The final score was 2 to 1 in favor of Ching Chong. The series for the championship began early last year. Six other middle schools participated. Mr. H. G. Hoh of the Y.M.C.A. and Mr. Chen Tse-fu, engineer of the Han Yeh Ping Coal and Iron Company, managed of the series.

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The following are the results of the ten best scores, including allowances, in event 3, (200 and 500 yds), ten highest aggregate scores and the highest number of Bulls-eye in each class, in the S.R.A. Annual Rifle meeting, as fired May 10 and 11:

Event 3

	200	500	allows	Total	Class
1—F. T. Smith ..	29	31	6	66	D
2—K. D. Chen ..	30	30	6	66	D
3—W. G. Smith ..	30	33	2	65	B
4—H. Lane	30	33	2	65	B
5—H. F. Bradley..	30	30	4	64	C
6—C. Reeves	30	30	4	64	C
7—W. J. Terrill..	32	31	0	63	A
8—E. W. Godfrey.	30	31	2	63	B
9—T. C. Britton..	30	32	0	62	A
10—S. A. Ransom..	31	31	0	62	A

Grand Aggregate

"A" class.—W. J. Terrill, 317; T. C. Britton, 312; G. F. Ashley, 311; W. O. Lancaster, 310; S. A. Ransom, 308; F. W. Snape, 308; E. K. Howe, 303; W. E. Sauer, 303; G. H. A. Snow, 301; A. F. Diniz, 293.

"B" class.—W. G. Smith, 293; H. Lane, 290; A. Q. Adamson, 288; T. Watanabe, 285; G. V. Jensen, 285; R. F. Wilner, 278; H. W. Lambert, 277; F. Bonichi, 272; P. G. Tate, 266; E. A. G. May, 264.

"C" class.—H. F. Cranfield, 211; H. F. Bradley, 202; C. Reeves, 201; A. Dahl, 188; Y. Hori, 188; H. Priestley, 182; N. Thomson, 180; H. Bone, 179; M. Iijima, 176; P. D. Sullivan, 160.

"D" class.—R. I. Ito, 192; E. Fasting, 192; A. L. Mottu, 191; F. T. Smith, 191; K. D. Chen, 189; Y. S Fong, 186; H. Noisshiki, 178; C. P. Grant, 176; A. C. Godby, 174; S Okada, 168.

The scores made by "C" and "D" classes at the long ranges are not included in the aggregate.

Bulls-eye Aggregate (including sighters).

"A" class.—W. J. Terrill 48, W. O. Lancaster 45, T. C. Britton 45, W. E. Sauer 44, E. K. Howe 43, G. F. Ashley 43, F. W. Snape 42, S. A. Ransom 41, O. L. Ilbert 36, C. E. M. Thomson 36, G. H. A. Snow 36.

"B" class.—H. Lane 34, A. Q. Adamson 34, D. McAllister 33, E. W. Godfrey 31, W. G. Smith 32, R. F. Wilner 30, G. V. Jensen 30, F. Bonichi 29, E. A. G. May 29, H. W. Lambert 24.

"C" class.—H. F. Cranfield 28, C. Reeves 20, H. F. Bradley 19, Y. Hori 16, H. Bone 15, M. Iijima 14, A. Dahl 13, H. Priestley 13, P. D. Sullivan 10, N. Thomson 10.

"D" class.—F. T. Smith 18, E. Fasting 16, A. L. Mottu 15, R. I. Ito 14, K. D. Chen 13, C. P. Grant 13, Y. S. Fong 12, A. C. Godby 11, T. Ohshima 11, A. Goldsmith 10.

H. P. S. Prize.—Ashley, Britton and Ilbert made possibles at 300, 700 and 500 yards and H. F. Bradley made 49 at 700 yds.

The Shanghai Rifle Association's Ladies' Prize Competition entry lists closed yesterday with 184 ladies entered, the figure constituting a record for this annual event. Results of the competition will be published tomorrow.

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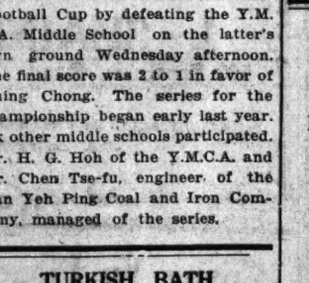

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CLUB WOMEN HEAR TALK ON CHINESE PROCESSIONS

Mr. Crofoot Speaks On Significance Of Parades; Department Takes Up New Subject

A highly interesting, as well as instructive, address on "The Significance of Shanghai Civil and Religious Processions" was given before the Literary Department of the American Woman's Club at the Carlton yesterday by Mr. J. W. Crofoot of West Gate.

Mr. Crofoot's talk was the concluding one in the department's study of the subject of Chinese customs. At the next meeting, to be held next Thursday at 4:30 p.m. at the Carlton, the subject of "The Chinese Home" will be taken up. The meeting will be in charge of Miss Bosworth. Mrs. Kulp will read a paper on the Chinese home with special reference to woman's part in the household and Mrs. Paul Hutchinson will speak on "The Child in the Home."

Chu Pao-san Again To Offer Resignation

He And Shen Lien-fang Are To Quit Posts With Chinese Chamber Of Commerce

Messrs. Chu Pao-san and Shen Lien-fang, Chairman and Vice-Chairman of the Chinese Chamber of Commerce, will for the second time tender their resignations this afternoon at a general meeting of the members of chamber as a result of their telegram sent to Peking May 9, which has been considered by the Chinese public as pro-Japanese. It is expected that the resignations will be accepted by the meeting in view of the vehement antagonism engendered by the message among the local Chinese.

It was learned yesterday that Mr. Shen had left for Huchow, his home town, and his resignation will take the form of a letter addressed to the chamber, expressing his regret for having committed the blunder and for negligence of his duties during his tenure of office.

Both Chu and Shen had attempted to resign at the general committee meeting Wednesday, but the committee refused to act.

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The world famous El Oriente Cigar Factory of Manila, Philippine Islands has passed into American hands. The Alien Property Custodian announces its sale to Walter E. Olsen and Company.

El Oriente Cigar Factory has been established since 1883 and it is well and favorably known here. Every detail of manufacture, from the cultivation and care of the tobacco, to the clean and careful handling in the most modern and sanitary factories, has been carefully studied, with the result that the products of the factory enjoy a world wide enviable reputation.

The policy of the new owners will be to maintain the same high standard of quality that has made El Oriente cigars a by-word for good smokes throughout this country. The warehouses of the company contain more than three million pesos worth of tobacco, carefully selected and of the highest quality. This in itself assures smokers of a mild uniform blend, that from a point of quality and aroma is unexcelled.

The Governor-General of the Philippine Islands has sanctioned the issuance of the following statement, in order that the smoking public of China may be put in possession of the facts concerning the Oriente Cigar Factory:

Office of the Governor-General of The Philippine Islands

Manila, Feb. 18, 1919.

To whom it may concern:

"The Governor-General of the Philippine Islands has received the following self-explanatory letter from Mr. Douglas M. Moffat, managing director for the Philippine Islands of the Alien Property Custodian of the United States of America:

"United States of America the Alien Property Custodian Office of the Managing Director In The Philippines Manila.

February, 12, 1919.

'Dear Sir:

'At the request of Walter E. Olsen Company, I beg to advise you that the El Oriente Cigar Factory and business as a going concern was sold by me, as representative of the Alien Property Custodian of the United States, at public sale, to the Walter E. Olsen Company, the highest bidder therefor. The sale has been confirmed by the Washington office of the Custodian and the Olsen Company has paid the purchase price, and is now in possession of, and operating, the factory and business. The Olsen Company is a corporation organised under the laws of the Philippine Islands and all of its stockholders are American citizens. The enemy interest should, therefore, be considered as eliminated and the business entitled to the same consideration as other American business.'

Yours very truly,
(Sgd.) DOUGLAS MOFFAT,
Managing Director for the Philippine Islands.

The Governor-General,
Manila, P. I."

"I hereby certify to the authenticity of the signature of Mr. Douglas M. Moffat, Managing Director for the Philippine Islands of the Alien Property Custodian, on the original of the above-quoted letter which is on file in this office. I further certify that the records of the Division of Archives, Patents, Copyrights, and Trade-Marks of the Philippine Government show that Walter E. Olsen and Company is a Philippine corporation duly organised under the laws of the Philippine Islands and that all of its stockholders are citizens of the United States of America."

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CHINA OFFERS FIELD FOR AMERICAN ACTIVITY

Chow Tze-chi Expresses View That Opportunity For U.S. Exists Now

(From Our Own Correspondent)

Peking, May 11.—In an interview given to your correspondent by Chow Tze-chi yesterday Mr. Chow spoke earnestly of the great chance that America now has to enter the Chinese commercial field and expressed the hope that American business men would soon come to this country in large numbers, with the intention of staying here permanently and doing genuine constructive work on the upbuilding of American commercial interests and the industrial development of China. Mr. Chow said that American business would be welcomed out here by the great majority of Chinese merchants and financiers, but that no one believed that it would come to China on a large scale.

When asked the reason for this belief, Mr. Chow said that he had had constant dealings with American business men, financiers and diplomats for the past twenty years, and this experience had been discouraging to himself and his associates as far as China was concerned. He found that, on the whole, Americans knew very little about China and the Chinese; and when they came out here to do business they expected results, and big results at that, far too quickly. They were impatient of delays and only too often threw up their plans and left for home discouraged because they could not get things done out here with the celerity with which they were accustomed to putting through deals in America. These men were continually followed by others, who came, saw and—like them—left without getting any results, thus wasting the time they had put in and the experience they had gained here.

As an illustration of his point Mr. Chow cited the case of the representative of a well known British firm, who came to Peking to get a certain contract for his company. This gentleman had made up his mind to stay here until he got the contract or some one else did, and he took a large house in the Chinese city and made a point of meeting as many influential Chinese as possible and entertaining them frequently. It cost this man two years of time and nearly half a million dollars to get his contract, but it came his way at last and was well worth waiting and working for.

Mr. Chow said that another difficulty in the way of American enterprise in China had in the past been the policy of the United States Government which had not been sufficiently energetic in its support of American commercial and financial interests. He added that if he were to criticise the attitude of the American Government towards China his criticism would be on the score of its failure to show a strong and consistent policy and its excessive honesty and frankness, not only towards China herself, but also towards the other governments possessing interests out here. This inevitably hampered the growth of American business in China and was beginning to make many Chinese feel hopeless of the future of American trade in this country. Now that the war was at an end Mr. Chow felt that America was getting her last chance to enter the Chinese field on a large scale, but she must grasp this quickly, and the consistent support of the United States Government must be behind it or it, too, would be lost.

SEBASTOPOL EVACUATED

(Reuter's Agency War Service)

Paris, April 29.—The evacuation of Sebastopol was completed yesterday. All war material there was shipped or destroyed.

China Political Notes From Chinese Press

The presence of the Cabinet Ministers will be required at the coming session of Parliament in order to decide whether or not China should formally decline to sign the European peace treaty.

The deans and headmasters of all the technical schools in Peking have resigned and several of them have left the Capital. The Ministry of Education has failed in its effort to retain their services.

A Presidential mandate is expected to be promulgated soon urging the students to proceed with their studies and preserve the national stability of the country.

General Yen Shih-shan, China's most intelligent and progressive Tuchun, telegraphed from Shansi that the action of the students in assaulting Chang Chung-hsiang and Tsao Ju-lin was prompted by patriotic motives and they should not be punished. On the other hand, their action deserves commendation of the highest order as it is expressive of the loyalty still existing among the people of China.

Dr. C. T. Wang has once more offered to resign from the Chinese peace delegation to Paris in order to escape the embarrassment of having to sign the peace treaty. The Cabinet has again urged him to remain in office.

Mr. Ma Liang of the Shanghai Food Provision Association telegraphed to say that the exportation of wheat flour is still hampered by heavy taxation and asked that the cereal be exempted from export duties. The Cabinet has decided to exact only four cents per bale until six months from date when the rate will be raised to 10 cents.

Following the receipt of the telegram of resignation of the Northern delegation, President Hsu Shih-chang consulted Premier Chien Nung-hsun and it was decided first to ask the Northern delegation to remain in office and then to negotiate with the South for the resumption of the conference.

The Peking Parliament is no longer persistent in demanding its own preservation, in view of diplomatic crisis, but would wish to see the dissolution of the old parliament before it is dissolved itself.

The Peking Procurate is very much embarrassed by the students who submitted themselves to trial without being arrested. It is now contemplating suspending the trials of the demonstrators altogether.

British Naval Tug Sinks Off Nieuport

Hughli Carried Explosives To Be Used Clearing Channel At Ostend

(Reuter's Agency War Service)

London, April 29.—A message from Brussels states that the British naval tug Hughli has sunk off Nieuport. Twenty-two men were drowned and ten rescued. The Hughli was carrying explosives for the purpose of clearing the Ostend Channel. It is uncertain whether the catastrophe was due to an explosion or to the vessel stranding on a sandbank.

TO GIVE ENTERTAINMENT TO AID SCHOOL FOR BLIND

Institute For Sightless Chinese In Danger Of Closing Owing To Lack Of Support

A meeting was held at the Y. M. C. A. yesterday afternoon to consider means of coming to the financial assistance of the Institute for the Chinese Blind, the only institution of its sort in this part of the country, which now stands in danger of being closed for lack of support.

The meeting was presided over by Mr. Y. C. Tong and was attended by thirty-five foreign and Chinese men and women who pledged their willingness to aid heartily in the movement. It was decided that in aid of the Institute an entertainment will be given at the Olympic Theater on the afternoon of June 7 and a committee was named to proceed with the arrangements for the affair. Following the entertainment which it is hoped will relieve the immediate needs of the home, a campaign will be launched with the purpose of clearing off the school's present indebtedness, amounting to about Tls. 8,000.

The committee in charge of the entertainment, including prominent members of the American Woman's Club and others, consists of the following: Mrs. Lunt, Mrs. Ashley, Mrs. H. C. Mei, Mrs. Remer and Mr. S. K. Tsao.

Being alone in its work in this part of China, the school, which is located on Edinburgh Road, has long filled a vital need in the community of Shanghai and it is hoped that when the appeal is made for the continuance of its good work there will be a ready response. The Institute cares for about 35 students at one time, teaching various industrial and vocational branches. A number of students have been placed in remunerative positions following graduation, one being at present an assistant at St. John's University.

MORE ENEMY PROPERTY SOLD IN FRENCH AUCTIONS

Land Held By Dr. von Schab And Others Brings Good Price

Some keen competition featured the sales of enemy property, put under the hammer yesterday by Messrs. R. Fano, L. Basset and W. Thesmar, in accordance with the recent French Mixed Court order.

Property sold yesterday was that formerly held by Dr. von Schab, Heinrich Schierhorst and Max and Mme. Mittag. The von Schab holdings, consisting of property aggregating over 20 mow on Rue Ratard was sold to Mr. M. Demets for Tls. 25,000. The Mittag property, consisting of two lots adjoining on Great Western Road and totaling over 10 mow, improved with a dwelling, went to Zih Li-kung for Tls. 52,200. Some of the sharpest bidding came on the Schierhorst property, 378 Avenue Joffre, which went finally to Mr. E. Moller for Tls. 9,200.

Samuel Is To Assist With Work In Belgium

(Reuter's Agency War Service)

London, April 26.—Mr. Herbert Samuel has been appointed special commissioner to assist in the reconstruction of Belgium.

Hardware Co. Sues On Nail Contract

Civil suit against Messrs. Arkell and Douglas was filed in the United States Court for China yesterday by Yut Sae Chang and Co., hardward merchants, in the sum of Tls. 6,314.11 and costs. The action is in connection with a consignment of nails which plaintiffs claim did not come up to specifications. The statement of claim sets forth that the plaintiffs honored a draft drawn on them by defendants for Tls. 6,226.38 and also paid Tls. 87.73 duty on the shipment. Messrs. Jernigan, Feesenden and Rose represent the plaintiff firm.

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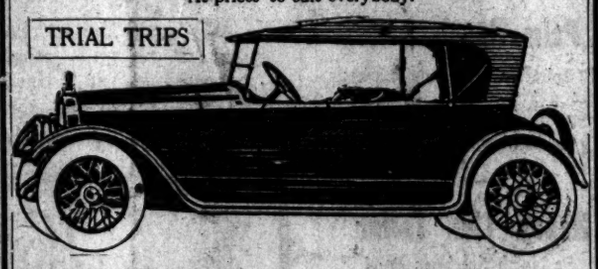

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KIANGWAN RACE

23rd MEETING
24th May, 1919.
(SATURDAY)
1st Saddling Bell at 1.30 p.m. Sharp.

ENTRIES.—Close on Monday 19th May, 1919, at 7 p.m. at the Club House, 126 Bubbling Well Road.

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By Order,
Y. S. DAY,
Secretary.

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15th May, 1919

Notice is hereby given that in conformity with the conditions endorsed upon the bonds, the undermentioned reimbursements, of the total value of $25,803 representing 25% of $103,212 being premia on 8,601 bonds for the month of May, 1919, were drawn on the 15th May, 1919, at the Head Office of the Company, 5 Avenue Edouard VII, Shanghai, in the presence of Messrs J. M. C. da SILVA, E. M. WATSON and LIEN SUNG BAY, BONDHOLDERS, J. BEUDIN, DIRECTOR, and SETH MANCELL & CO., Auditors.

The reimbursements drawn will be paid on and after the 16th May, 1919, at any of the following places:—

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TIENTSIN—INTERNATIONAL SAVINGS SOCIETY, 45 Rue De France.
HANKOW—Messrs. ANDERSEN, MEYER & CO., LTD., 11 Rue D'Hanoi.
CANTON—Messrs. GERIN, DREVARD & CIE, Shameen.

4 Bonds at $2000 each numbered.....	1055	2093	5996	6353
4 Bonds at $1000 each numbered.....	1573	2620	4312	6946
4 Bonds at $300 each numbered.....	1077	2144	4560	7359
4 Bonds at $200 each numbered.....	1204	3956	5314	6383
4 Bonds at $160 each numbered.....	129	2937	5148	8364

1 Bond at $601 numbered..... 6880
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1 Bond at $160 numbered..... 6845
1 Bond at $120 numbered..... 8587
1 Bond at $62 numbered..... 6941

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35	50	88	96	97	98	4304	4305	4307	4354	4372	4378
99	108	142	144	150	156	4380	4391	4399	4411	4416	4431
177	232	233	236	237	269	4437	4460	4468	4471	4478	4492
307	327	329	343	353	359	4496	4501	4506	4519	4523	4530
360	372	378	394	399	404	4535	4543	4545	4552	4556	4561
411	425	433	437	447	460	4572	4579	4595	4631	4639	4640
465	482	495	497	498	528	4645	4646	4661	4678	4688	4706
551	577	611	614	622	625	4708	4720	4722	4730	4738	4779
628	646	669	693	695	702	4789	4784	4788	4793	4796	4800
707	717	730	747	748	770	4807	4810	4817	4824	4840	4849
787	789	790	807	813	822	4867	4875	4879	4880	4883	4893
845	848	867	873	891	903	4896	4906	4912	4919	4933	4937
904	953	957	973	974	982	4940	4951	4975	4976	4989	5008
986	997	1008	1012	1016	1021	5024	5031	5042	5053	5054	5067
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1148	1154	1162	1165	1166	1177	5219	5224	5234	5255	5269	5286
1186	1193	1201	1210	1215	1217	5294	5302	5308	5312	5320	5337
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1296	1305	1316	1318	1322	1330	5429	5435	5439	5452	5461	5470
1336	1352	1354	1356	1363	1371	5482	5487	5504	5511	5523	5524
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2064	2111	2132	2134	2160	2183	6332	6341	6354	6373	6380	6384
2205	2234	2240	2246	2247	2249	6395	6434	6440	6448	6465	6466
2255	2262	2264	2278	2281	2282	6474	6485	6489	6500	6502	6520
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2651	2663	2682	2696	2702	2704	6863	6874	6890	6901	6949	6955
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Spar Buoy established.

NOTICE is hereby given that a RED spar buoy has been established on the south-eastern edge of the shoal extending to the eastward of Losing Island, Pagoda Anchorage, Min River. This Buoy is moored in 17 feet of water and from the buoy Watters Rock Beacon bears N. 71° E., distant 4.3 cables.

All bearings given are magnetic and depths are those of Low Water of Spring Tides.

By Order of the Inspector General of Customs,
T. J. ELDRIDGE,
Coast Inspector.

THE MARITIME CUSTOMS,
Coast Inspector's Office,
Shanghai, 15th May, 1919.

23582

Shanghai Race Club.

4th Extra Race Meeting,
Saturday, 17th May, 1919.

The First Saddling Bell will be rung at 2.30 p.m. Prompt.

Admission to the Unreserved Part of the Enclosure, $1

Badges may be obtained from Messrs. Kelly and Walsh, Ltd., or at the Gate.

Grand Stand Tickets giving admission to the Members' Enclosure and Grand Stand, may be obtained through Members.

Price .....$3 each.

Applications must be accompanied by payment and must be forwarded to the undersigned before noon on Saturday, 17th instant.

All Race Badges and Tickets must be worn visibly.

The Loong-Fei Gate will not be closed except when a Race passes that entrance to the Public Recreation Ground.

By Order of the Stewards,
A. W. OLSEN,
Secretary, Shanghai Race Club.

Shanghai Garage Company, Ltd.

(owning and operating the Star and Eastern Garages).

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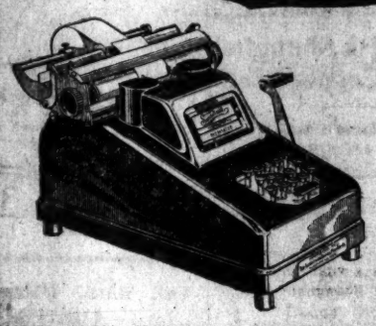

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NOTICE

We hereby give notice that we have granted General Power of Attorney, to Mr. J. P. Haworth, who will sign our Company per procuration as and from this date.

CHINESE-AMERICAN CO.,
B. Atwood Robinson, President.
Shanghai, 8th May, 1919.

23590

HOUSES WANTED

A small house or flat, furnished, modern conveniences, suitable for three bachelors in Western district or French-town. C. H. P., 16 Wongkashaw Gardens.

23588 M. 18

WANTED to rent, small house, furnished or unfurnished. Must be near French Park. Apply Box No. 156, THE CHINA PRESS.

23565 M.17.

MISCELLANEOUS

CAN anybody provide advertiser with copy of poem of which either title or ending of each verse is—"Another Sad Victim to the Follies of the Day." Apply to Box 154, THE CHINA PRESS.

23563 M.16.

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EDUCATIONAL

YOUNG LADY (Conservatoire pupil) gives piano lesson. Apply to Box 162, THE CHINA PRESS.

23575 M.17.

DANCING

LESSONS in latest dances wanted by young man. Apply to Box 161, THE CHINA PRESS.

23574 M.17.

APARTMENTS WANTED

WANTED, bachelor's apartment, Quinsan Gardens preferred. No boarding houses. Apply to Box 165, THE CHINA PRESS.

23580 M. 18

WANTED, second-hand rubber tyred rischa, in good condition. Apply to Box 169, THE CHINA PRESS.

23591 M. 22

FOR SALE, at Kuling, lot 174, High-Land Avenue. Good spring. For particulars apply to Box 170, THE CHINA PRESS.

23592 M. 18

WANTED by a married couple, room with bath and all modern conveniences. Apply to Box 160, THE CHINA PRESS.

23573 M.17.

APARTMENTS

14-15 Quinsan Gardens
One large front room to let, with full board, to couple or to bachelor. Telephone North 482.

Connaught House
8 Quinsan Gardens
Board-Residence
Terms moderate.
Apply MRS. POLLOCK.

TO LET

Well-furnished rooms, bathrooms and verandahs attached, hot and cold water. Kitchen under personal supervision.
70 and 72 Bubbling Well Road.

22207

CENTRAL, to let, with board, one large double room, with bathroom attached, south aspect. Apply Mrs. Benn, 9 Hankow Road, top floor.

23593

TO LET, unfurnished flat in Young Allen Terrace, consisting of two large rooms, big verandah, bathroom and kitchen. Very cool in summer. Please apply to Box 164, THE CHINA PRESS.

23582 M. 18

MOST COMFORTABLE small villa to let, furnished, for summer months. All services left on hire. Excellent piano, five rooms, Western, pretty home. Apply to Box 163, THE CHINA PRESS.

23576 M.17.

TO LET, well-furnished rooms, single or double, Western district, telephone, tennis. Apply to Box 145, THE CHINA PRESS.

23545 M.16.

FOR RENT, from June 1st, unfurnished flat, near French Park; four large rooms, verandah, kitchen, servants' quarters, etc. Apply to Box 150, THE CHINA PRESS.

23555

TO LET, room and board, 6 Wayside Road. Madame Autoinette.

23456 M.20.

TO LET, four or five rooms, a bathroom, a kitchen, and wide verandahs. Apply to 41 Range Road.

22370

TO LET with board, large newly furnished flats, and single rooms with private bathrooms attached. All modern conveniences, tennis court, garage, stabling and telephone. Apply to Box 32, THE CHINA PRESS.

SITUATION VACANT

WANTED: American firm wants competent lady stenographer. State experience and salary expected. Apply to Box 155, THE CHINA PRESS.

23562 M.18

WANTED by an American Corporation from 1st July, for 4 or 5 months (with possibility for permanency), good all-round impor man with knowledge of metals hardware, sundries, etc. Capable o superintending department. Send references and state salary requited to Box 151, THE CHINA PRESS

23558 M.20

WANTED by American Importing and Exporting firm just opening experienced man, American preferred, to take charge of office. Reply, stating full particulars, to Box No. 146, THE CHINA PRESS.

23547 M.16.

WANTED by American Importing and Exporting firm just opening Compradore who has had special experience in Exports. Reply, stating full particulars to Box 147, THE CHINA PRESS.

23547 M.16.

Amusement Advertising will be found on Page 14

OFFICES, ETC., TO LET

OFFICES to let, new buildings 14 and 16 Canton Road; entire ground-floor and all second-floor, No. 16; one half ground-floor and all second-floor, No. 14. Will divide to suit tenants' requirements. Apply premises or J. T. Hammond, 51 Szechuen Road.

22356

LARGE, bright godown, second floor, Central district. Immediate occupation. Apply to Box 246, THE CHINA PRESS.

22354

HOUSES TO LET

TO LET, furnished, for the summer months, a small five-roomed house with bathroom, kitchen and servants' quarters. Rent moderate. Apply to Box 166, THE CHINA PRESS.

23586 M. 18

TO LET, furnished house, four small rooms, good attic, kitchen, etc. Occupation now. Reply to Box 168, THE CHINA PRESS.

23589 M. 18

TO LET, from June 1st, modern detached residence in fine locality, five rooms. Garden. Tls. 100 per month. 197 Bis Avenue due Roi Albert. China Realty Co., Ltd.

23494

MOKANSHAN HOUSE: The Venable or Talbot house, No. 344, is offered for rent during the coming season at a reasonable price. For information apply to Rev. A. A. Talbot, Tsing Kiang-pu, Kiangsu.

23541 M.18.

TO LET, 497 Avenue Joffre. Residence containing six rooms, two baths, attic. Hot and cold water. Garden. Tls. 85.00 per month. China Realty Co., Ltd.

23496

TO LET, 20 Yates Road, detached eight-roomed residence, tennis, garage, stabling. Apply premises or J. T. Hammond, 51 Szechuen Road.

22386

TO LET, 44 Sinza Road, excellent residence of four large and three small rooms. Apply premises or J. T. Hammond, 51 Szechuen Road.

22387

TO LET, 450-E Avenue Joffre, residence of six rooms. Modern improvements. Apply premises or J. T. Hammond, 51 Szechuen Road.

22383

FURNISHED, until December-January. Apply Bailey, 133 Dixwell Road.

23580 M.17.

Exchange and Mart

FOR SALE, one two-cylinder "RENAULT" landaulet, with acetylene head lights, in good condition and running order. For particulars, please apply to THE SHANGHAI HORSE BAZAAR AND MOTOR CO., LTD., Motor Garage Telephone Numbers, West 1213 and West 1202.

23595 M. 18

FOR SALE, one Indian 7 to 9 h.p., motor-cycle with side-car, hood, electric light and accessories. Perfect running order. What offers? Any trial. Apply 10B Paoshan Road.

23579 M. 20

WANTED a well-bred Irish or fox terrier pup. Apply to Box 167, THE CHINA PRESS.

23587 M. 18

FOR SALE or exchange, small sideboard, china cupboard, two table fans (220 volts), immersion water heater. Apply to Box 157, THE CHINA PRESS.

23566

FOR SALE, 17 Leghorn hens, 1½ years old, laying every day, imported from San Francisco, new house with wire-net run, etc. Complete for $95.00. Apply to Box 159, THE CHINA PRESS.

23570 M.16.

WANTED: Roadster in good condition. State model, year, price, with full particulars, to Box 148, THE CHINA PRESS.

23548 M.20.

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Incorporated by Royal Charter 1853.

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Reserve Fund 2,000,000
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A. D. STEWART.
Manager.

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This Shanghai Agency undertakes all banking operations and exchange business, grants credits on goods and approved securities and receives deposits on current and fixed deposits according to arrangement.

L. ARDAIN.
Manager.

The Exchange Bank of China

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P. C. KONG,
Manager.

Hongkong & Shanghai Banking Corporation

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Iloilo	Peking	Yokohama

London Bankers:
London County Westminister and Parr's Bank, Ltd.

Shanghai Branch: 12, The Bund.
Sub-Agency: 9 Broadway.

Interest allowed on Current Accounts and on Fixed Deposits according to arrangement.

Local Bills Discounted.

Credits granted on approved Securities, and every description of Banking and Exchange business transacted.

Drafts granted on London and the chief commercial places in Europe, India, Australia, Africa, China, Japan and America.

A. G. STEPHEN,
Manager.

Russo-Asiatic Bank

	Roubles.
Capital (fully-paid)	55,000,000
Reserve Fund	26,960,000
	Kug. Tls.
Capital Contributed by the Chinese Government ..	2,500,000
Reserve Fund	1,750,000

Head office: PETROGRAD.
Paris office: 9 Rue Boudreau.
London office: 64 Old Broad Street, E.C. 2.

Bankers:
London: Messrs. Glyn, Mills, Currie & Co.
Paris: Societe Generale pour favoriser le Development de Commerce et de l'Industrie en France. Banque de Paris et des Pays-Bas.
Lyons: Societe Generale pour favoriser le Development du Commerce et de l'Industrie en France.
Milan: Credito Italiano.

FAR EASTERN BRANCHES:

Bombay	Hailar	Nicolayewsk
Chanchun	Hankow	O/Amur
(Kwan-chendze)	Harbin	Peking
	Hongkong	Shanghai
Chefoo	Manchouli	Tientsin
Dairen	Newchwang	Vladivostock
(Dalny)		Yokohama

85 Branches and Agencies in Russia, Siberia and Mongolia.

SHANGHAI BRANCH

Interest allowed on Current Accounts and Fixed Deposits in Taels, Dollars and Roubles. Terms on application.

Local Bills discounted. Special facilities for Russian Exchange.

Foreign Exchange on the principal cities of the world bought and sold.

Safe Deposit Boxes.

L. JEZLERSKI,
G. CARRERE.
Managers for Asia.

The National Commercial Bank, Ltd.

Established 1907.

Paid-Up Capital $1,000,000.00
Reserve Fund 391,347.41

Head Office: Shanghai
Peking and Kiangse Roads.
Tels: Managers' Office: Central 2650
General Office: Central 2613 & 2614

Branches:
Hangchow, Hankow, Peking, Tientsin, Mukden and Harbin.

FOREIGN CORRESPONDENTS
London, New York, San Francisco, Tokio, Yokohama, Kobe and Osaka.

Correspondents at the principal cities throughout China.

Interest allowed on Current Accounts and Fixed Deposits in Taels, Dollars, Gold Dollars, Sterling and Y according to arrangement.

Interest allowed on Deposits at Call both in Taels and Dollars according to arrangement.

Domestic and Foreign Drafts purchased and sold.

Credit grant on approved securities.

Savings Accounts—4% per annum.

Every description of banking business transacted.

Modern Safe Deposit Boxes For Rent.

SHEN CHU HSU, Manager.
SHU CHIN MIN, Sub-Manager.
C. C. YANG, Sub-Manager.

The Bank of China

(Specially authorised by Presidential Mandate of 15th April, 1915)

Authorised Capital .. $50,000,000.00
Paid-Up Capital $12,279,800.00
Reserve Fund $1,298,552.60
Special Reserve Fund $1,898,933.68

HEAD OFFICE: PEKING.
Branches and Agencies:

Peking	Taiyuan	Shanghai
Tientsin	Kaifong	Hankow
Changchun	Wuhu	Ichang
Antung	Anking	Changsha
Dalny	Hangchow	Nanchang
Moukden	Ningpo	Kiukiang
Newchwang	Nanking	Foochow
Harbin	Chinkiang	Amoy
Kirin	Hsuchow	Canton
Tsinan	Soochow	Hongkong
Chefoo	Wusieh	Swatow
Tsingtau	Yangchow	Chungking

SHANGHAI BRANCH.
3 HANKOW ROAD.

Loans granted on approved Securities. Local Bills discounted. Interest allowed on Current Accounts and Fixed Deposits in Taels or Dollars according to arrangement.

SUNG HAN-CHANG,
Manager.

Shanghai, 15th February, 1919.

Hongkong & Shanghai Banking Corporation

Savings Bank Office:
12 The Bund, and 9 Broadway.

Deposits of not less than $1, or over $100, will be received at one time.

Not more than $1,200 will be received in one year from any single not at any time exceed the sum of $5,000.

Interest at the rate of 3½ per cent per annum will be allowed on the monthly minimum balance. Deposits may be withdrawn on demand. Accounts will be kept either in Mexican Dollars or Taels, at the option of the depositor.

Depositors will be presented with Pass Books in which all transactions will be entered. Pass Books must be presented when paying in or withdrawing money.

Office Hours—10 a.m. to 3 p.m. Saturday, 10 a.m. to 12 noon.

Commercial Bank of China

Head Office: SHANGHAI

Subscribed Capital Sh. Tls. 5,000,000
Paid-Up Capital Sh. Tls. 2,500,000

Advances made on approved securities. Bills discounted.

Interest allowed on Current Accounts at 2 per cent per annum on daily balance. On Fixed deposits:
For 3 months at 3% per annum.
For 6 months at 4 % per annum.
For 12 months at 5% per annum
On deposits in Dollars according to arrangement.

H. G. MARSHALL,
Chief Manager.

華 通 銀 行
Chung Foo Union Bank

(Established in 1917.)
Statutes approved by the Government in 1918.
Head Offices: Tientsin

Subscribed Capital $2,000,000
Paid-Up Capital $1,020,000

Managing Director:
SUN TAO SAN.
Deputy Managing Director:
NIEH CHI-WEI.

Branches and Agencies in Domestic Cities:

Tientsin	Chinkiang
Shanghai	Soochow
Peking	Wusieh
Hankow	Hangchow
Nanking	Ningpo
Yangchow	Shaohsing
Hsuchow	Canton
Pengpu	Hongkong
Changchun	Changteh
Antung	Chengchow
Kiukiang	

Tsinkiangpu

Agencies and Correspondents in foreign countries:
London: International Banking Corporation.
New York: International Banking Corporation.
San Francisco: International Banking Corporation.
Boston: American Express Company.
Tokio: Bank of Chosen.
Kobe: Bank of Chosen.
Osaka: Bank of Chosen.
Yokohama: Bank of Taiwan.
And also other principal cities in foreign countries.

SHANGHAI BRANCH,
5.441 Ningpo Road.
Tel. Central 1929 Managers' Office.
Tel. Central 2613 General Office.

Every description of Banking and Exchange business transacted. Interest allowed on Current Accounts and Fixed Deposits both in Taels and Dollars according to arrangement.

Credits granted on approved securities.

Y. R. SUN, Manager.
H. D. ZAH, Sub-Manager.

International Banking Corporation

Head Office:
National City Bank Building
55 Wall Street, New York.

Capital and Surplus ...U.S. $6,500,000
Undivided Profits .U.S. $2,563,000.00

H. T. S. Green,
President & General Manager.
London Office:
26 Bishopsgate, E. C.
San Francisco Office:
232 Montgomery Street

Far Eastern Branches
China: Shanghai, Peking Tientsin, Hankow, Hongkong, Canton.
Japan: Yokohama, Kobe.
Philippines: Manila, Cebu.
India: Bombay, Calcutta.
Straits Settlements: Singapore.
Dutch East Indies: Batavia, Soerabaya.

West Indian and Central American Branches:
Republic of Panama: Panama, Colon
Republic of Colombia: Medellin.
Dominican Republic: Santo Domingo, San Pedro de Macoris.
Santiago, Puerto Plata.

In addition to our own Branches, by reason of our close affiliation with, *The National City Bank of New York* we are able to offer the facilities of its branches at Bahai, Buenos Aires, Caracas, Genoa, Havana, Montevideo, Moscow, Petrograd, Rio de Janeiro, San Juan, P. R., Santiago de Cuba, Santos, Sao Paulo Valparaiso, Vladivostock.

Commercial and Travellers' Letters of Credit, Bills of Exchange and Cable Transfers bought and sold. Current accounts opened and Fixed Deposits taken on rates that may be ascertained on application to the Bank.

H. C. GULLAND, Manager.
1a, Kiukiang Road.

THE BANK OF CANTON, LIMITED.

Incorporated 1912.

Capital (fully paid) H.$2,000,000.00
Reserve Fund ..... H.$ 400,000.00
Investment reserve fund ..... H.$ 40,000.00

Head Office
No. 6 Des Voeux Road, Hongkong.

Shanghai Office
No. 2 Ningpo Road

BRANCHES AND AGENCIES

Canton	Bangkok	San Francisco
Batavia	Bombay	Colombo
New York	Manila	Samarang
London	Singapore	Calcutta
Honolulu	Rangoon	Yokohama
Sourabaya	Canada, etc.	

Interest allowed on Current Accounts and Fixed Deposits according to arrangement.

Every description of Banking and Exchange business transacted.

C. C. WONG,
Act. Manager.

BANK OF COMMUNICATIONS

Specially authorised by Presidental Mandates of April 7th, 1914, and October 31st, 1915.

Capital: Kuping Taels 10,000,000

HEAD OFFICE: PEKING
Over 60 Branches and Agencies at principal cities and commercial centers in China.
Agencies abroad: Singapore, Hongkong, Tokyo (Japan).

SHANGHAI BRANCH
35 Szechuen Road.

Interest allowed on both Current and Fixed Deposit Accounts; Credit granted to approved securities, and every description of Banking and Exchange business transacted.

H. TAO, Manager,
Y. M. CHIEN, Sub-Manager.

Yokohama Specie Bank, Limited

(Established 1880.)

Head Office: YOKOHAMA JAPAN.

Capital Subscribed .. Yen 48,000,000
Capital Paid-up .... Yen 42,000,000
Reserve Fund ..... Yen 25,000,000

London Bankers:
The London County and Westminster and Parr's Bank, Ltd.
The National Provincial and Union Bank of England, Ltd.
The London Joint Stock Bank, Ltd.

Branches and Agencies

Batavia	Los Angeles	Seattle
Bombay	London	Shanghai
Buenos Ayres	Lyons	Shimonoseki
Calcutta	Manila	Singapore
Changchun	Mukden	Sourabaya
Dalny	Nagasaki	Sydney
Hankow	Newchwang	Tientsin
Harbin	New York	Tokio
Hongkong	Osaka	Tsinanfu
Honolulu	Peking	Tsingtau
Kaiyuen	Rangoon	Valdivostock
Kobe	S. Francisco	

SHANGHAI BRANCH
Interest allowed on Current Accounts and Fixed Deposits in Taels and Dollars, according to arrangement.

Drafts granted on principal places in Japan, Korea, Formosa, China and the chief commercial places in Europe, India and America.

Every description of Banking and Exchange Business transacted.

K. KODAMA, Manager.

Banque Industrielle de Chine

Capital ..... Francs 45,000,000
one-third of the Capital, i. e., Frs. 15,000,000, subscribed by
THE GOVERNMENT OF THE CHINESE REPUBLIC
Statutes approved by the Government of the Chinese Republic on January 11, 1913.

President, André Berthellot.
General Manager, A. J. Pernotte.

HEAD OFFICE
74, RUE ST. LAZARE, PARIS.

Branches in Peking, Tientsin, Shanghai, Hongkong, Saigon, Haiphong and Yunanfou

BANKERS:
In France: Societe Generalle pour Favoriser le Development du Commerce & de l'Industrie en France.
In London: London County and Westminster and Parr's Bank Ltd.
London City & Midland Bank Ltd.
In New-York: Redmond & Co.
In Italy: Banca Commerciale Italiana
Credito Italiano

Taels, Dollars, Gold Accounts
Interest allowed on Current Accounts in Gold or Local Currency and fixed deposits on application.

Every description of Banking and Exchange business transacted.

Savings accounts in Gold and Local Currency.

G. LION, Manager.

The Mercantile Bank of India, Ltd.

Subscribed Capital £1,500,000
Paid up Capital 750,000
Reserve Fund 700,000

HEAD OFFICE, 15 Gracechurch Street, LONDON, E. C.

London Bankers:
London Joint City and Midland Bank, Ltd.

Branches & Agencies.

Bombay	Howrah	Madras
Calcutta	Handy	Penang
Colombo	Karachi	Port Louis
Delhi	Kota Bahru	(Mauritius)
Galle	(Kelantan)	Rangoon
Hongkong	Kuala Lumpur	Shanghai
	Singapore	

Shanghai Branch.

EVERY description of Banking and Exchange business transacted. Interest allowed on Tael Current Accounts at 2 % per annum and an Fixed Deposits at rates which may be ascertained on application.

C. T. BEATH Manager.
26 The Bund.

The Shanghai Commercial and Savings Bank, Ltd.

9, NINGPO ROAD

Capital (Paid-up) $600,000.00
Reserve Fund ..... $ 15,600.00
Deposits (Dec., 1918).. $3,400,000.00

Accounts carried in dollars, taels or foreign currencies.

Banking by Mail.

Credit granted on approved securities.

Drafts, both domestic and foreign, purchased or sold.

Exchange of dollars, taels and foreign currencies.

Pocket Savings Bank for saving small coins.

SAFE DEPOSIT BOXES for rent.

K. P. CHEN,
General Manager.

Banque Belge Pour L'Etranger

Filiale de la Societe Generale de Belgique

Societe Anonyme

Paid-Up Capital .. Frs. 30,000,000

Head Office: BRUSSELS.
London office: 2 Bishopsgate.
Branches at Peking, Tientsin, Alexandria, Cairo (Egypt), and Rotterdam.

President:
JEAN JADOT
Governor Societe Gen rale de Belgique.

Bankers:
London: Martin's Bank, Ltd.
Brussels: Societe Generale de Belgique.
Antwerp: Banque d'Anvers.
Paris: Banque de l'Union Parisienne Societe Anonyme.
Lyons and Marseilles: Comptoir National d'Escompte de Paris.
New York: National City Bank of New York.

Interest allowed on Current Accounts Taels and fixed deposits according to arrangements.

Every description of banking and exchange business transacted.

M. DEMETS,
Manager for China.

Nederlandsche Handel Maatschappij

(NETHERLANDS TRADING SOCIETY.)

Established 1824.

Paid-up-Capital— Florins
Guilders 70,000,000 (about £5,833,333)
Reserve Fund—
Guilders 12,760,286 (about £1,063,357)
Head Office: AMSTERDAM.
Head Agency: BATAVIA
Agencies in Holland:
THE HAGUE and ROTTERDAM.

Branches:

Bandjermasin	Medan	Singapore
Bandoeng	Padang	Soerabaya
Cheribon	Palembang	Soerakarta
Djember	Pekalongan	Tebing-Tinggi
Djokjakarta	Penang	Tegal
Hongkong	Pontianak	Telok-Betong
Kota-Radja	Rangoon	Tjilatjap
Langsa	Semarang	Wiltevreden
Makassar		

London Bankers:
National Provincial and Union Bank of England, Ltd.

Correspondents at the principal places in Europe, Asia, Australia and North America.

The Bank buys, sells, and receives for collection bills of exchange, issues letters of credit on its branches and correspondents and transacts banking business of every description.

SHANGHAI INTEREST ALLOWED on current tael accounts and fixed deposits, according to arrangement.

B. G. J. WYNBERG.

ASIA BANKING CORPORATION

An American Bank

Head Office—New York City
Head Office for Far East—Shanghai

OTHER BRANCH OFFICES
Peking-Tientsin-Hankow

The Asia Banking Corporation offers an American Banking Service and respectfully solicits your patronage. It is organised especially for the purpose of fostering and developing trade between the Orient and the United States. The entire service, information and TIME of our bank, its staff and correspondents are at the disposal of our clients and their friends.

Interest allowed on current, fixed and saving accounts carried in Taels, Mexican Dollars, U.S. Gold, Sterling and Francs.

Foreign or local drafts purchased at best rates, or entered for collection.

Imports and exports financed.

Commercial credits established.

Drafts sold on, and telegraphic payments effected in, any part of the World.

Siccawei Weather Report

14.—Gloomy and drizzling weather in our regions. The barometers have moderately risen in Central China and probably in Korea.

15.—Misty but fine weather. Barometer above the average and still rising.

Friday, May 15, 1919.

WEATHER	4 A.M.	9 A.M.
Bar. at 32° F. inches	29.95	30.00
Variation for 24 hrs.	†0.04	†0.10
Variation for 12 hrs.	†0.10	†0.08
Wind—Direction	N	NE
Wind—Miles per hour	5.0	9.3
Temperature (Fahr.)	52°0	66°8
Humidity	98	52
Nebulosity (0-10)	1	0
Rainafll, inches	—	—

Provision Prices In Local Market

Prices quoted are in Mexican dollar cents at Hongkew Market as compiled on May 13, 1919.

Butcher's Meat		
Beef	per lb.	14-30
Mutton	„	18-30
Pork	„	25-30
Veal	„	25-30
Fish		
Bream	per lb.	14-16
Cod	„	16-18
Mandarin	„	20-30
Mackerel	„	20-25
Pomfret	„	20-25
Salmon	„	none
Samli	„	35-40
Soles	„	16-20
Whitebait	„	20-22
Game, Poultry And Eggs		
Deer	each	none
Duck	„	60-1.00
Eggs	per doz.	15-18
Fowl	per lb.	18-20
Geese	each	$0.60-$1.00
Hare	„	none
Partridge	„	none
Pheasant	„	none
Pigeons	„	18-20
Plover	„	8-12
Quail	„	20-22
Snipe	„	14-16
Teal	„	14-16
Turkey	per lb.	50-55
Wild Duck	each	none
Wild Geese	„	none
Wild Pigeons	„	none
Woodcock	„	40-45
Fruit		
Apricots	per lb.	none
Apples	„	16-20
Bananas	„	12-14
Cherries	„	none
Chestnuts	„	none
Figs	per doz.	none
Grapes	per lb.	none
Lemons	each	6-7
Lichees	per lb.	none
Mangoes	each	10-15
Mongosteens	per doz.	none
Melons	each	none
Oranges	per lb.	20-30
Peaches	„	none
Pears	„	10-12
Persimmons	„	none
Feeboes	„	8-10
Plums	„	8-10
Pumeloes	each	20-30
Pineapples	„	none
Strawberries	per lb.	10-12
Walnuts	„	13-14
Vegetables		
Artichokes	per lb.	2-3
Asparagus	per doz.	20-30
Broad Beans	per lb.	2-3
Beetroot	per bunch	2-3
Bamboo Shoots	per lb.	10-12
Cabbage	each	3-4
Carrots	per bunch	2-3
Cauliflower	each	10-15
Celery	per bunch	3-10
Egg Plant	per lb.	6-7
French Beans	„	8-10
Green Corn	each	none
Leeks	per bunch	2-3
Mushrooms	per lb.	1.00
Onions	per bunch	8-10
Parsnips	„	2-4
Peas	per lb.	3-4
Potatoes	per picul	$1.65-$2.00
Radishes	per bunch	1-2
Spinach	per lb.	2-3
Tomatoes	„	8-10
Turnips	per bunch	2-3
Grain And Flour		
Flour American	per 50 lbs.	
Flour Australian	„	$4.25
Flour Shanghai	„	$3.10
Rice	per 200 lbs.	$6.40
Milk		
Foreign dairies	per bottle	20
Chinese dairies	„	17
Fodder		
Barley	per 114 lbs.	$2.55
Bran	„	$3.10
Fuel		
House Coal	per ton Tls.	19.00
Stove Coal	per ton Tls.	22.00
Firewood	per 50 bundles	$1.00
Laundry		
Per 100 articles		$3.00-4.00

H. KILNER,
Chief Inspector.

Resources: Pesos 248,000,000

Philippine National Bank

No. 1 The Bund, Shanghai

Telephone: Central 2741

Head Office: MANILA

BRANCHES:
37 Broadway, New York, and throughout the Philippines.

Correspondents at principal cities in the Orient, United States and Europe.

CHECKING AND SAVING ACCOUNTS: FIXED DEPOSIT
Exchange Bought and Sold
Commercial and Travellers' Letters of Credit
Travellers' Checks

Financial And Commercial News

Exchange and Bullion

Shanghai, May 15, 1919.

Money And Bullion

Sovereigns: buying rate
@ 5/2½ = Tls. 3.84
@ exch. 74.3 = Mex. $5.16
Gold Dollars: Bank buying rate
@ 122½ = Tls. $1.63
@ 74.3 = Mex. $109.86
Mex. Dollars Market Rate 74.075
S'hai Gold Bars: 978 touch Tls.
Copper Cash ..... per tael 1825
Native Interest ..... Tls. .06

Latest London Quotations

Bar Silver ..... 55½d.
Bank Rate of Discount 5%
Ex., Paris on London ..... Fr. 29
Ex., N. Y. on London T.T. G.$4.68⅞

Exchange Closing Quotations

London ..... T.T. 5/2⅛
London ..... Demand 5/2⅛
India ..... T.T. 81½
Paris ..... T.T. 747
Paris ..... Demand 750
New York ..... T.T. 122
New York ..... Demand 122½
Hongkong ..... T.T. 67⅛
Japan ..... T.T 42
Batavia ..... T.T. 300
Singapore ..... T.T. 45⅛

Banks Buying Rates

London ..... Demand 5/3⅛
London ..... 4 m/s. Cdts. 5/4⅛
London ..... 4 m/s. Docy. 5/4⅛
London ..... 6 m/s. Cdts. 5/5
London ..... 6 m/s. Docy. 5/5⅛
Paris ..... Nom. 4 m/s. 730
New York .... o/d. Docy. 123½
New York .... 4 m/s. Docy. 123½

Roubles Exchange

Today's Bank Buying Rate
For Roubles
Roubles 3,800 ..... = Tls. 100
Roubles 190 ..... = Mex. $3.50

Customs House Exchange Rates

For May

Hk. Tls. 3.50	@	5/0⅛		£1
„ 1	@	703	Francs	7.83
„ 0.77	@	116½	Gold	$1
„ 1	@	43⅝	Yen	2.54
„ 1	@	15	Rupees	4.19
„ 1	@	1.50	Mex.	$1.50
„ 1	@	—	Roubles	—

Shanghai Produce & Stock Exchange Transactions

Shanghai, May 15, 1919.

BUSINESS DONE

Japan Government Bonds 5%
Tls. 37.90 May
Tls. 37.15 June
Tls. 37.40 July
Japan-China S. and W. Co:
Tls. 21.20 May
Tls. 20.30 July
Shanghai P. and S. Exchange:
Tls. 19.60 June
Tls. 20.10 July
Local Yarn:
Water Moon 20's: Tls. 169.50 June
Water Moon 16's: Tls. 143.10 June
Tls. 150.80 July

Stock Exchange Transactions

Shanghai, May 15, 1919.

TODAY'S QUOTATIONS

Official
Chinese Engineering and Mining "B" Tls. 11.25
S.M.C. 6% Debs. 1908 @ Tls. 85.00
S.M.C. 7% Debs. 1917-18 @ Tls. 95.00
Yangtsepoo Cotton (Ord.):
Tls. 10.60
Tls. 10.70
Tls. 10.75 June

Sharebrokers' Association Transactions

Shanghai, May 15, 1919.

BUSINESS DONE

Official
S.M.C. 5½% 1914 Debs. @ Tls. 73.00 cash

Unofficial
Yangtsepoo Cottons Tls. 10.80 June
S.M.C. 8% 1905 Debs. @ Tls. 83.00 cash

U. K. METAL MARKET

Reuter's Service

London, April 29.—Today's Metal prices were as follows:

	£	s.	d.
Standard Copper G. M. B. f.o.b.	76	7	6
American Electrolytic 99 80% Copper f.o.b.	80	10	0
Lead. L. B. c.i.f. per ton..	Nominal		
Soft Lead "Spanish" f.o.b..	24	12	6
Quicksilver, second hand ex warehouse f.o.b. (1s. extra in flask)	15	15	0
Tinplates, I. C. W. 20/24 108 lbs. 112 sheets per case tin lined cases without hoops f.o.b. Wales..		36½	
Antimony "Regulus" (Sellers)	45	0	0
Munts Metal, f.o.b. London or Liverpool (less 1%)..		11	
Standard Tin (cash)	225	15	0
Spelter (ordy. soft.) f.o.b..	35	12	6
Galvanised Sheets 24 gauge f.o.b.	31	0	0
Standard Tin (3 months)..	224	15	0

Aviation Insurance Plan Drawn By British Firms

Underwriters Form Central Organisation To Handle Risks From Commercial Flying

London, March 10.—In connection with the announcement made in The Times on Friday of the formation of a powerful association to undertake aviation insurance, an official statement in the following terms is now issued:

"The Aviation Insurance Association has been formed to accept at home and abroad all risks in connection with both heavier and lighter than air craft. Policies will be issued by underwriting members of Lloyd's, the Eagle, Star, and British Dominions Insurance Company (Limited), and the Excess Insurance Company (Limited). The business will be controlled by a committee of five, consisting of Messrs. W. C. Campbell, J. E. Duder, and George Simmons, all of Lloyd's; Sir Edward M. Mountain, chairman of the Eagle, Star, and British Dominions Insurance Company (Limited), and Mr. Cuthbert E. Heath, of Lloyd's, and chairman of the Excess Insurance Company (Limited).

"The committee have appointed as manager Mr. Horatio Barber, A.F.Ae.S., F.R.G.S., and offices have been opened at No. 1, Royal Exchange Avenue, E.C.

"The formation of the association is the result of an increasing demand for aviation insurance, and underwriters consider that this will be best served by a strong association having the resources necessary to create an expert and world-wide organisation. No effort will be spared in producing forms of policies and rates of premiums to meet trade and other requirements. A preliminary prospectus and proposal forms for the various risks undertaken will be issued this week, and will be forwarded upon request.

As has been indicated in earlier articles, underwriters regard it as a national duty to do what they can to encourage commercial aviation, and, without adequate insurance facilities, development must be retarded. Aviation insurance risks have been placed at Lloyd's for some years past, but enterprising underwriters feel that the time has now come to provide a much larger market than has hitherto existed. The values to be effected on a single risk may, as was indicated on Friday, easily amount to £250,000.

Reasons for Present Step

Underwriters might have proceeded individually and spasmodically with the acceptance of risks. This would have meant that those who felt disposed, from time to time, to accept such risks would have written them, but there would have been no guarantee of the existence of an adequate permanent market. It would have meant that many underwriters, in addition to transacting their existing business, would have had to try to grasp the intricacies of aviation, so that they might be in a position to quote rates of premium bearing some relation to the risks. There can be little doubt that the day would not have been long enough to enable them to to give the necessary attention to these details, in addition to writing marine, fire, accident, burglary, and other risks.

The course adopted therefore has been for a large number of underwriting "names"—over 200—who are specially interested in the subject to club together and provide a central organisation where one underwriter who has made himself on authority on the subject shall act for all of them. The capital represented by those interested in the scheme is very large indeed, and the actual working expenses of conducting the business when spread over the whole capital will amount to a very small figure.

A Pioneer Policy

Similarly, any losses spread over so considerable a capital would be reduced to a very reasonable proportion in the case of each "name," whereas a loss which would be quite trival for an organisation of such financial strength might tax too heavily the resources of a little syndicate. It is the belief of underwriters that the business will be conducted so carefully that on balance no loss will be incurred. Nevertheless, immediate profit-earning is not the primary object of those supporting the new association. Those behind the organisation are all men of means who are determined to provide an insurance market for aviation risks, and they are resolved that rates not prohibitive, but such as will actually encourage commercial aviation, shall be quoted. They mean to reduce the present rates. If, in the experimental stage, a loss is incurred in the building up of an insurance market the underwriters will consider the money well spent. In this respect the history would only be that of workmen's compensation and employers' liability insurance business, in which heavy losses were incurred while insurance companies and underwriters were groping their way and accumulating data. In fact, the view has been expressed to the writer that what may be termed the "cuckoo" policy would be likely to be more profitable to underwriters in aviation insurance than pioneering. Perhaps it would, but the "cuckoos" will never have the satisfaction of knowing that they were the pioneers in making London a great insurance market for aviation risks.

This pioneer work is, indeed, expected of London. Letters are known to have come lately from all parts of the world to Lloyd's asking for quotations for particular risks, so that plans may be laid for starting regular commercial services immediately official permission is given for their establishment—it is hoped from the beginning of next month. The inquiries for specific rates have come from, among other countries, the United States, France, Italy, and Spain, and London must not disappoint the world.

Different Classes of Risks

The risks for which quotations will be made are of various kinds. They are:

(1) The risk of damage to flying machines through all causes, including collision, fire, and theft.

(2) The third-party risk, as in the case of dropped tools or equipment which injure persons or damage property on the earth.

(3) The risk of injury to pilots, crews, and passengers.

(4) The risk of accidental damage to goods carried.

(5) The risk of damage to property against which owners may wish to insure, as they did against the risk of injury through air attack during the war.

In assessing the premiums for any of the first four risks the underwriter will take into account—

(a) The type of machine and the circumstances of its construction.

(b) The experience of the pilot.

(c) The route of the proposed voyage.

(d) The nature of the flying, whether by day or night, or by both, and whether the flying will be "straight" or whether any "stunts" will be attempted.

Discrimination Between Risks

In the past the insurance rates for aviation risks have undoubtedly been high and in many cases have been considered prohibitive in the aeronautical industry. It is the aim of those supporting the new scheme to quote rates which will meet commercial requirements. They consider that such commercial rates can best be secured not by quoting flat rates of premium for comprehensive risks except in special cases, but rather by the employment of experts who will take into consideration the various factors influencing each risk, and in each instance deduce the minimum rate. Such discrimination naturally calls for expert knowledge and careful study of the many factors involved, such as the points set out above.

At first, owing to the lack of a central source of information, where all details respecting aircraft and pilots can be collected and made available, it will be essential for those wishing to effect policies of insurance to take the trouble to answer numerous questions contained in the proposal forms. This duty is distinctly in their own interests, since without such information underwriters could only assume the worst, and it would be necessary to quote a higher rate than might otherwise be required. It is obviously in the interest of all proposers for insurance to co-operate with underwriters to the fullest extent possible, until such time as an official source of information is made available.

A new feature which will be introduced in the present scheme will be an allowance for depreciation, permitting a lower rate of premium to be quoted.

The prospectus which has been issued provides that in the value to be paid in the event of loss a deduction, after the first 100 hours of the flying life of the aircraft, shall be made of 1-500th for each hour of flying life. These figures are not fixed quantities. The governing idea is that normally a machine for the first 100 hours suffers no depreciation. After that time depreciation sets in which should be allowed for in the agreed value. Such a stipulation would improve the moral hazard in respect of the fire risk, but every consideration would be given in cases where sound reasons can be advanced against its inclusion.

LONDON MONEY MARKET

Reuter's Service

London, April 29.—Today's rates were as follows:

Consols, 2½% for account	£55⅝
French Rentes 3% for account	Fcs. 61½
Cheques on London at Paris	Frs. 28.25
Telegraphic Transfers on London at New York	G.$4.68⅛
Japanese 4% Bonds	Y. 86½
Rupee Paper, 3½% Loan 1854-1855	Rs. 50
Bar Silver	48⅛d.
Bank Rate of Discount	5%
Market Rate of Discount (3 month's Bank Bills)	3⅛%
Exchange Hongkong (Document Bills at 60 days)	3/5½
Exchange on Shanghai (Document Bills at 60 days)	5/1
Hongkong and Shanghai Bank Shares	£100
Shells (ord.)	£8/12/6
Indos (Pref.)	£4/12/6
Indos (Def.)	£35/10/0

Singapore Rubber Auction

Singapore, April 30 and May 1.—Following were the prices realised at the auction this week:

	Singapore per lb. Cents.
Sheet	
Smoked Fine Ribbed	78/75½
Smoked Good Ribbed	75½/68
Smoked Fine Plain	Nil
Smoked Good Plain	Nil
Unsmoked Fine Ribbed	74
Unsmoked Good Ribbed	Nil
Unsmoked Fine Plain	Nil
Unsmoked Good Plain	Nil
Cupwashing	50½
Crepe	
Fine Pale Thin	79/76½
Good Pale Thin	76½/69
Good Pale Blanket	66½
Good Brown	60/53
Fine Brown	69½/64
Good Brown	65/55½
Good Dark	56½/42½
Barky	46½/35
Scrap	
Virgin and Pressed	48/34½
Loose	29

Catalogued for sale: 2,034,536 lbs. (about 908 tons).

Sold: 1,407,849 lbs. (about 629 tons).

Our auctions started rather weak yesterday morning with only few buyers.

Fine Ribbed Smoked Sheet only fetched from 76½ to 75½ cents per lb. marking a decline of 1 cent on the week. Fine Pale Crepe was well competed for, prices being only ½ cent cheaper than last.

During the day dealers became more interested, and a firm bidding took place. Fine Ribbed Smoked Sheet was sold freely from 78 to 77 cents (one lot fetched 78½ cents). Fine Pale Crepe was still in good demand at above prices. (One small lot was sold at 79½ cents).

Off-grades of Fine Ribbed Smoked Sheet and Pale Crepe were sold at prices corresponding to those of last week.

Fine and Good Brown Crepes were in strong demand and prices advanced 1 to 2 cents.

Dark and Barky Crepes were in still better demand than last week, and prices went slightly higher.

The prices were well maintained during the sale this morning.

The market is fairly steady, but there is an easier feeling on account of weaker reports from the consuming markets.

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Shanghai Tramways

The following is the Traffic Return of the Shanghai Tramways (Foreign Settlement) for the week ended May 14, with figures for the corresponding week last year:

	1919. $	1918. $
Gross Receipts	38,454.22	32,984.93
Loss by currency depreciation	9,510.51	7,529.67
Effective Receipts.	28,943.71	25,455.26
Percentage of loss by currency depreciation	25.96	24.13
Car Miles run	85,384	80,086
Passengers Carried	1,763,446	1,514,984

BAR SILVER

Reuter's Service

London, May 10.—Today's Silver prices were as follows:

Bar Silver Spot, 58d.
Forward, 57⅝ buyers; firm.

Hankow Market

Hankow, May 7, 1919.

Finance And Money Market

A few bills were offering early in the week, but as rates hardened the supply fell off. There was some inter-bank business, and a small demand for freight. T.T. Taels on Shanghai remained steady @ 96.9 buyers, and 96.85 sellers, with a fair demand. Dollars rose from 70.65 buyers, and 70.85 sellers, Chinese market, to 71.275 and 71.475, but closed a little easier @ 71.2-71.4, buyers and sellers respectively.

Interest: 11?. Changsha exchange: nominal.

Imports

Piece Goods.—The market still continues strong for whites and greys.

Yarn.—Nothing to report.

Exports

There were continued inquiries for sesamum seed, and also for beans for new season, tallow, wood oil, and bean oil are in good demand.

Prices for all produce are hardening.

COMMERCIAL CABLES

Reuter's Service

London, April 29.—Today's prices and deliveries were as follows:

Egyptian Cotton Fully Good Fair Sakellaridis ..... 26.59d.
M G. Fine Scinde & Bengal 13.40d.
Good Middling Texas 1⅛ inch staple ..... 18.59d.
Plantation Rubber, June .... 1/11½d.
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Deliveries, Canton silk ..... 24 bales
Deliveries, Japan silk ..... 327 bales

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IMPARTIAL AND PROGRESSIVE

SHANGHAI, MAY 16, 1919

The Grand Old Truths Are Very Grand

CONSIDER the article in the adjoining column. It is printed not for its views or even its intrinsic interest but because it illustrates some universal truths. It is worth reading.

One of the most wrong-headed and perverse publications in the English language is this same Saturday Review of London. Also it is a perfect example of a numerous type. Its philosophy of life is this: What was is divine, what is is impious, what will be is blasphemous. And it dedicates itself to the spread of the Heavenly doctrine that the grand old truths are very grand. If Shakespeare were living today and Shaw had died in the seventeenth century, it would publish long jeremiads by elderly, crotchetty and highly correct persons on the decay of literature in these decadent days and the vulgarity of this vaudevillian Shakespeare as compared with the pure and undefiled Shaw. But it happens that Shakespeare is dead and Shaw living, so it quotes Shakespeare and damns Shaw. Purely a matter of chronology.

It is a strange condition of mind, this, but there are people made that way, and a great many of them in the world. It may not be an exaggeration to say they have the largest share in governing the world. They make an absorbing study for those interested in mental archaeology. They have their utility, too. They eliminate the necessity of written history. By talking to any of them, by reading their writings in their impeccable media, you know what the previous century thought without ever opening the covers of a book. They are the living repositories of the ideas that are dead.

They have, too, their tragic side. If it were scientifically possible to make a causal analysis of all the pain that has accumulated down the long run of life, all the human frustration through generation on generation, very little would be found attributable to the physical forces, to what is called "human nature" and to "sin," very little to the outward circumstances that are chronicled in conventional history, and very much, nearly all perhaps, to just this condition of mind, this mental arteriosclerosis whose symptom is reverence for the past and only the past.

To it more than to any other cause can be charged ignorance, religious intolerance and persecution, war, poverty and its attendant horrors, and all the human maladjustments that warp men's bodies and shivel their souls. Not directly, of course, but in result; for there is no ill from which men suffer that is inherent in mankind or in the nature of life. There is no ill which is not curable, if men could go about its cure as they go about a problem in science. And they have not been able to go about it so because always there has stood in the way that all but immovable force of obstruction, the mind that is rooted in the past. And only that has stood in the way.

That mind or that combination of minds fought and still regrets popular education. It fought for centuries freedom of religious worship. It always has opposed and still opposes efforts to end war. You can see its reactions to the peace conference; whatever has not been done before is "utopian" and "impractical." Give it "sound sense," the "proved wisdom of experience;" in other words, all those measures we have used again and again and again only to produce fresh wars. And if wars are inevitable it is not because human nature is irrevocably given to slaughter and nations must inevitably settle their differences by murder, but because there are men and institutions to whom experimentation is anathema, imagination a non-existent quantity and anything that has not already been done impossible. The same condition of mind has always fought and still fights efforts to abolish poverty; it does so by the simple formula that we must always have poverty. It fought to keep feudalism, it fought to keep slavery, it fought to keep child labor, if fought to keep the sixteen-hour day, the fourteen-hour day, the twelve-hour day and now the ten-hour day. It fought and still fights against labor unions, it fought and still fights against human working conditions in factories, it fought and still fights against a living wage. It shrieked "socialism" when first it was proposed that sixty cents a day was a fairer wage than forty cents. It fought against the institution of parliaments and the abolition of the divine right of kings. It fought against suffrage, it fought against political rights for women and still fights against other rights for women. It still fights against democracy. Not because it is wicked; only because it is buried in the past.

Ever it has stood squarely in the path of human progress, because progress was change. There is not a human melioration it has not first fought and then bewailed as a step to perdition. Were it not invariably conquered by mankind's underlying sound sense and capacity for survival and progress, we should still be writing on stone slabs and choosing our wives by a well directed swing of a knotted club. There is no doubt that when the first tadpole took the first step on the thorny road of evolution to the biped there were tadpoles who wrote to the Paleolithic Tribune viewing with alarm the revolutionary tendency of the times and proving beyond argument that in the old, unhurried and more dignified days tadpoles knew the art of living better and the lower classes of tadpoles demanded less and were happier. For after all—this just in passing—when you come right down to it, the tadpole was the first great Bolshevik.

So it is with the burden of the writer in the Saturday Review. The English language declining? Piffle! It is different, that is all. Read the article carefully. What is it that has made the writing of English decline? Democracy. You knew it was going to be that from the first few lines. And the press. Now, if there any good the press has done, it has been to improve the use of English. Undoubtedly it has run to hackneyed expressions, to tritenesses and to *clichés*, but also it has deflated English of its early nineteenth century ponderosity, pomposity and stiltedness. Newspaper English for all its minor slovenliness, which is only temporary, is simple, crisp, terse, direct, sparkling and frank. And if you search English literature from Beowulf to the Saturday Evening Post, you will find those to be almost without fail the qualities of the greatest masters. From the first scrawl on stone upward through all the arts the indepensable quality of the greatest art has been universality of appeal.

The decay of the English language! Take the average level of letters written today and compare it with the average level of letters written a hundred years ago—it is hard to compare because people today don't write diaries and preserve letters—and you will not find any basis of comparison. The average of writing today is beyond compare superior to that of a hundred years ago. The flowing periods, the orotund windinesses, the stiltednesses, the snobbishnesses, the Latin quotations are gone, gone with antimacassars, smelling salts, albums on the table, seashells on the mantelpiece, bric-a-brac, croquet, bustles and fainting ladies. May they never return.

What may be said in answer is that the general level may be higher but we have none of the great masters of a hundred years ago. Well, in the first place, you can't tell. Nothing is classic until the man who did it is dead and our living writers as it happens are not yet dead. It may be true that democracy while levelling up literature as everything else has also levelled it down. Democracy is a great leveller. It is natural that it should be at first. It is desirable that it should be. That must be its first step. When it has completed its first step, when it has raised to a decent level those who before were below it, the flower of its product will be just as beautiful as before when it had only one tenth the soil; more beautiful, in all probability. Do not forget that if you take a dictionary of biography of all time and trace the early history of great men, you will find them sprung in the overwhelming majority from these "millions" that the Saturday Review writer sneers at. (Possibly that is his argument in favor of poverty—for other people). "The Millions;" that is his plaint. Writers write for the millions, not the precious few. Even so? Why not? Maybe they do have to lower their standard, make their style less pure and recondite. Even so? Quite naturally, the majority, having had the ability to read for only two or three generations, have not yet refined their taste to its purest. They can do so only gradually, but they will. If in the meantime the precious few suffer a little, the gain will still be greater than the loss. The writer in the Saturday Review simply has not recovered from the discovery, and the recoil from the discovery, that the human race consists of all the people who are human and not one tenth. There are untold millions who have not discovered that yet or adjusted themselves to it. They will.

Wrong-Headed But Interesting

(The Saturday Review, London)

The English language declined steadily through the nineteenth century, and in the last twenty years the declension has continued with accelerated speed. At the beginning of the last century Lamb, Hazlitt, Coleridge, Southey, Wordsworth, De Quincey and Leigh Hunt, were writing for the daily, weekly, and quarterly press, as well as publishing poems and essays. Heavens! How those fellows could write! After Waterloo, we had Shelley writing "The Cenci," and Byron writing "Don Juan," while in the region of journalism Cobbett was producing his best "Registers" and his "Rural Rides." Cobbett was a spiteful, vain, unscrupulous beast as a controversialist: but his English is pure, racy, and exhilarating. Cobbett had a knack of finding out the weak spot in an antagonist's body, and of pasting on a nickname that stuck. All fundholders were, according to him, Jews, and he spoke of their wives as "sooty-necked Jewesses"—what an adjective! The eloquent Erskine took a peerage in the style of Baron Erskine and Clackmannan. Cobbett always referred to him as "Baron Clackmannan"—there was genius in that, as in his nicknaming Lord Goderich—the transient and embarrassed phantom—"prosperity Robinson." But Cobbett is by the way: he is a much neglected master of English prose. After the great Reform Bill and the accession of the girl Queen and her German husband, we had a fresh departure in English literature. That was the period of Ruskin, Carlyle, Macaulay, Disraeli, Lytton, Dickens, Thackeray, George Eliot, Browning and Tennyson, a prolific and rhetorical period.

But the mechanical age was already beginning, the age of cheap postage, railways, steamships, and, finally, of electricity, which affected the style of literature silently and rapidly. When it cost tenpence to send a letter two hundred miles, people took pains that their letters should contain something worth reading. The amount of literary ability evoked and perfected by the practice of correspondence amongst men and women of the upper and middle classes can only be realised by those who have been allowed or obliged to read Georgian and early Victorian letters. Rowland Hill's penny postage, which was started soon after Victoria's accession, killed the art of letter writing. People wrote scrappy stupid notes about trivial matters—it only cost a penny. What the penny post began, the telegraph, and later the telephone, and the typewriter, completed. We do not remember ever to have received a well written, informative, or witty letter in our life. Railways and steamships produced a restlessness which motors have aggravated. Towards the end of the Victorian period was witnessed a frequent phenomenon in morals and literature, a reaction, namely, against the fashion of the hour, the last leap of the dying fire. Walter Pater and Oscar Wilde in prose, and Swinburne in poetry, developed a verbal scrupulosity, an excessive fondness for words, which was really a subconscious protest against the coarse carelessness of the penny paper and the cheap novel. But the reaction was short-lived, and was indeed discredited by the conduct of Oscar Wilde. It is absurd, no doubt, but none the less true that Wilde's life more than cancelled the service which his pen rendered to English literary style. We speak, of course, of the present generation. Fifty or a hundred years hence it will no more matter that Wilde was a sexual pervert than that Sheridan was a drunkard.

Whatever the Fabins and other dour economists may write, the individual counts, and the masses are nothing. The perversity of a few individuals made style in writing immoral. Alongside of this eccentric and disturbing force, there was the steady pressure of the mechanical age, the diversion of the best brains from what used to be called "the professions," i.e., the Bar, the Church, Medicine, and Literature, to engineering, chemistry, and stock-jobbing. At the back of this materialistic movement there arose the apparition, grimy enough, of millions of half-educated hand-workers, worse than uneducated, half educated, disbelieving Christianity, laughing at duty, only set on the apolaustic life in whatever coarsest form they could reach it. Football matches, coursing, race meetings, films, theaters, eating and drinking, these were the things that preoccupied the millions; and to please them a new illustrated press, reaping huge profits, sprang into being. But the new press was obliged to speak the language of the new millions and cunningly. Therefore they bid for the best writers, according to repute, of the day. One of the new millionaire papers can and will pay for a thousand words as much as an old quarterly or monthly magazine will pay for five thousand words. What is the result? The young men with a real aptitude for style go into the millionaire press business; for though Talleyrand said he saw no reason why people should live, his opinion has never been popular. Compression is good, and is to be learned only of the Greeks and Romans: but the perpetual necessity of squeezing into a thousand words conclusions on important subjects is, in the long run, fatal to style. And that is what has happened to most of the young writers of the rising generation.

The mechanical age, not the extension of the franchise or compulsory education, has produced democracy, and democracy has produced casual manners, which are hostile to, or careless of, literary form. "Moi je suis beaucoup pour la forme," says Bridoison, in the comedy of Beaumarchais. The last thing which the young man of the democratic age cares about is "la forme." The style, if it can be called so, most in favor today is the hands-in-the-pocket—turned-up-trouser style of the cheap illustrated paper. The language is horribly stuffed with unintelligible slang from America and the Colonies. A dramatically familiar form of address is adopted in writing, and everything is contracted. Plenipotentiary becomes "plenipot." and the headline is the thing. All this is fatal to the English language. It would be prudish to deny that novelists like Messrs. Wells and Bennett are masters of a certain kind of English. But it is in description alone that they excel. Mr. Anthony Hope amongst novelists, and Mr. E. V. Lucas amongst essayists, endeavor, against an adverse current of slang, to maintain the purity and dignity of our tongue. In one of the most eloquent passages of his perface to the English Dictionary Johnson wrote: "If the changes that we fear be thus irresistible, what remains but to acquiesce in silence, as in the other insurmountable distresses of humanity? It remains that we retard what we cannot repel, that we palliate what we cannot cure. Life may be lengthened by care, though death cannot ultimately be defeated: tongues, like governments, have a natural tendency to degeneration; we have long preserved our Constitution, let us make some struggles for our language." The Dictionary was a very famous and successful struggle for our language: it excited Chesterfield; it drew a penison from Bute; it supplied George III with a vocabulary which many a modern leader-writer might envy. But it had not to combat a millionaire syndicated press. The deterioration of the English language is not confined to these islands; it is even more noticeable in the United States and the Colonies. The use of the nouns "sense" and "stress" as verbs and of such an adjective as "tendencious" is pure barbarism. Slang and corrupt words and vulgar expressions are bad enough; but the insincerity of the press is a deeper moral fault. The character of the public man is nearly always the reverse of his portrait in the daily press. The reality of a transaction is nearly always the opposite of the narratives ladled out to the millions to suit the ends of a government or a capitalist group. Thus the lie on the pen of the hireling works its way inwards until it is the lie in the soul of the multitude. When a language becomes corrupt and degenerate, be sure that it responds to callousness and sensuality in the character of the nation.

Korea's Claims To Independence

Following is an unusually sane statement on the Korean uprising from the Christian Science Monitor.

The Korean proclamation of independence, the full text of which, first promulgated in Seoul on March 1, was published a few days ago in this paper, is, in many ways, a remarkable document. Signed by thirty-three prominent Koreans, representing many different classes and creeds, it places the claims of the country to independence on the broadest possible basis, and succeeds in formulating a demand which, tested by the criterion in accordance with which the world is now being rearranged in Paris, must be pronounced irrefragable. In considering the Korean claim, however, or any similar claim, the fact must be remembered that, in these days when the education of the West is open so fully to the East, it is always possible for the most backward eastern country to find within its borders men of education and discernment sufficient to draw up, in all sincerity, a document the ideals of which might presuppose a very high standard of national enlightenment if it were taken literally as expressing a widespread national sentiment. The thirty-three educated Koreans have unquestionably succeeded in producing such a document. "A new era," they declare, "wakes before our eyes. The old world of force is gone, and the new world of righteousness and truth is here." "It is the day of the restoration of all things on the full tide of which we step forth without delay or fear. We desire a full measure of satisfaction in the way of liberty and the pursuit of happiness and an opportunity to develop what is in us for the glory of our people."

Now the inalienable right of any people to such rights and privileges is not, and cannot be questioned. The only question there is, or can be, is how best they may be secured to people at all periods in their development. The signatories of the document under consideration assert that the only way this may be done is by the immediate achievement of the "independence of Korea and the liberty of the Korean people." The Japanese, on the other hand, would maintain that the great mass of the Korean people, in spite of all that Japan has done for them in the way of education, and there can be no question that Japan has done a great deal, are still utterly incapable of self-government. They would point to the fact that before they annexed the country, some nine years ago, Korea was known as the Hermit Kingdom; that its culture and civilisation were amongst the most backward in the Far East; that the people were notoriously poverty-stricken, primitive, and uneducated; and that to grant such people independence at the behest of a few educated Koreans, even though they claim to represent some 3,000,000 of their fellow countrymen, would really be to set back the progress of the country to an extent impossible to estimate.

It is, of course, just this argument of the greatest good of the greatest number which is the strong point, and the only really unassailable point, in the Japanese rebuttal of the Korean claims. As to the rights which, under the old order, might be held to flow from the fact of annexation, she has none in equity as today conceived. The proceeding followed the most humdrum lines of the accepted diplomatic method, the gradual absorption of the country under force majeure. First came the "agreement," in 1904, at the beginning of the Russo-Japanese war, by Korea to be "guided by the advice of Japan," and to permit the occupation by Japanese forces of any strategical points which might be deemed necessary for the protection of the country. Next came Korea's pledge to be "guided by Japan in all her foreign relations"; then her "decision" to place her whole government in the hands of the Japanese, and to admit Japanese warships into her territorial waters. Later on in the same year, 1905, a Japanese residency was established at Seoul, while the control of the country's foreign affairs was placed absolutely in Japanese hands. By the end of 1909 the King of Korea only retained titular authority, and a year later he had disappeared altogether, and Korea was annexed absolutely to Japan, while its name was changed to Chosen.

Stated thus baldly, the process seems as just or unjust as any similar process. Nevertheless, what has been done cannot be undone by the stroke of a pen; neither indeed can anyone desire that it should be. The claim of any people to govern themselves is and must always be a lawful claim, but it is by no means always an expedient claim, that is to say, the granting of it is by no means always sure to result in the realisation of the objects aimed at. As a former well known Japanese official recently remarked to a representative of this paper, when discussing the Korean demands, Japan has undoubtedly made some serious blunders in her dealings with Korea, and failed where she ought not to have failed, but that she has worked wonders in the way of bettering the condition of the Korean people, and developing the country generally, cannot be doubted. Still these are not the only things needed. No amount of material prosperity will reconcile a people, really capable of governing themselves and developing their own ideas along their own lines, to the restraints of government imposed from without. Japan may have done her work well in Korea, and she may point to the fact that in annexing the country she was only doing what many other great powers did long ago. The justice of the *tu quoque* cannot be gainsaid, but it is really beside the point. The world has awakened to a realisation that, in many cases, the methods it has pursued for so long are no longer possible, and this realisation is quite inexorable. Japan's plea that the annexation method was a method well accredited nine years ago, when she adopted it, can no more serve to support it today than a similar plea in favor of Ptolemy's theory of the stellar universe could have supported that theory against the facts adduced by Copernicus. The new times, however, are evolving new and better methods, and the dictate of true statesmanship, as far as Japan is concerned, is to recognise this fact, cut loose, as quickly as may be, from that which is obsolete, and be in the van of the new ideas. The Koreans, if they desire, should attain self-government as soon as they are capable of exercising it, and Japan has everything to gain and nothing to lose by recognising this fact, and shaping her policy in accord with it.

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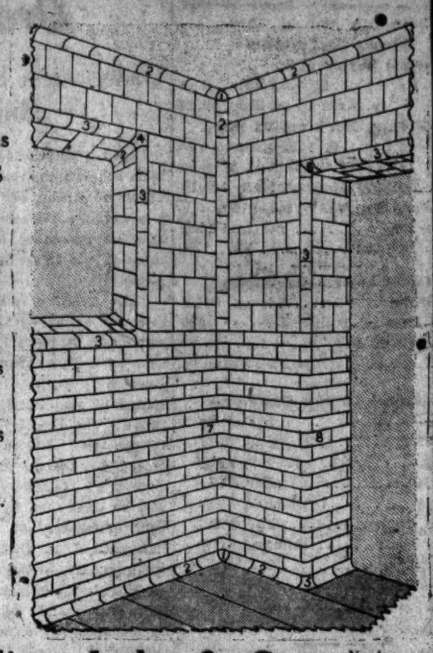

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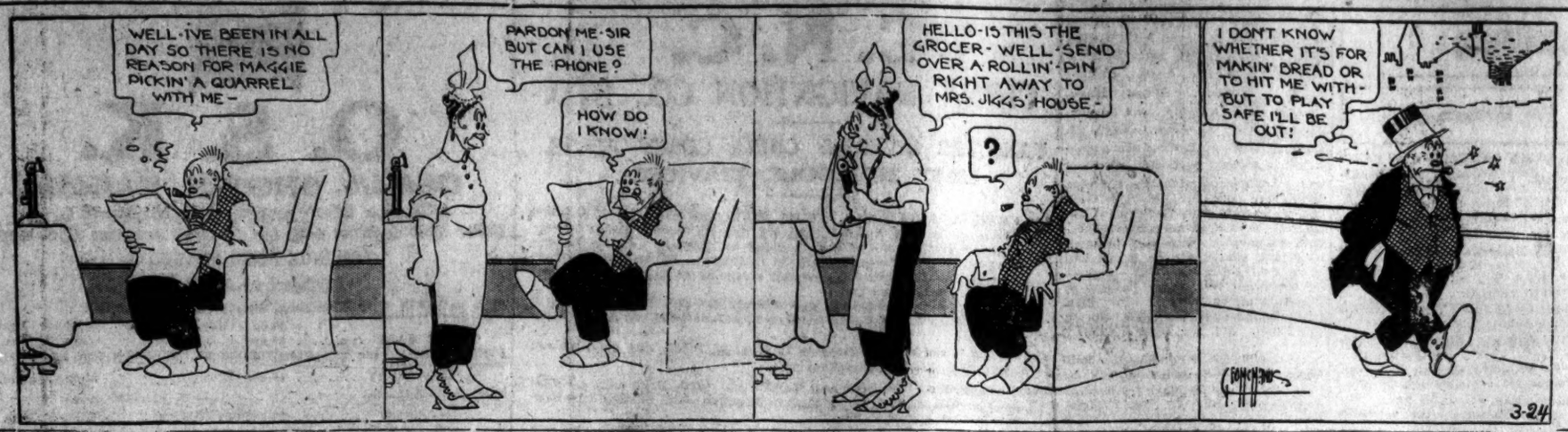
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My Gold Fish

A Japanese Poet's Thoug hts Of A Spring Night

Translated by Y. Onishi
(*Japan Advertiser*)

The Japanese short story is not exciting to Western tastes, and such interest as the following translation possesses lies in the fact that it is an example of a form of writing which is now very popular in Japan. The writer is "Hakushu" Kitahara, one of the most widely admired poets of the day. From time to time he contributes to the magazines imaginative sketches like the following and they are said to be keenly appreciated. Even in translation there is a certain charm in this picture of a spring night and the thoughts it evokes—though for "thoughts" perhaps one ought to write "literature," so consciously literary is the flavor. The charm will seem faint and insipid to Western tastes, but it is characteristic of the present phase of imaginative prose as expressed in the short stories and sketches of the magazines.

I sat at my rickety desk, determined to write about my gold-fish.

As I spread my writing paper before me, profound silence reigned in the living room of the mountain temple. The smell of the incense which my wife burnt for me before she went to bed hung in the motionless air, and the old-fashioned lamp on my desk filled the room with dim yellow light.

At the foot of the lamp was a small pear-shaped vase of celadon porcelain with violets. My wife gathered them this very morning among the bamboo bushes near by. When I saw them still wet with dew in her hand, I exclaimed at their beauty. She hummed by way of reply:

"Coming along a mountain path,
I came across a thing so sweet.
It was a tiny violet."

"The violet to which the poet Bashe hung his head in humiliation must have been such a sweet, tiny flower like the spirit of Spring," said I.

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This afternoon my wife came to me with a plant with a strange flower, which she said she plucked by the side of a grave. It was like a lady's slipper, and had a trumpet-shaped single-petalled flower set in deep green. My wife arranged it in a Dutch glass vase filled with clear water, and placed it on the revolving bookshelf by my desk. The tendril of this strange flower trembled down to the face of the small horseshoe clock on the desk.

"Can you tell the name of this flower?"

"No," said I.

"Nor can I," she replied, "but it is beautiful, is it not?"

It was beautiful. I looked at it closely, and felt like weeping.

My wife reflected: "What a wonder that an unseemly root like this should have such a beautiful flower!"

I was moved, and said:

"Yes. There is no single leaf but it is full of beauty and meaning. God, or rather I would say, Nature, is so kind!"

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At the foot of the vase was a dish with three or four fried shell fish. They were placed there by my wife as though they were a precious figure-head. This was her present to me.

These shells were a gift to her from one of her friends. While she was at work in the kitchen removing the meat from them with a toothpick, she cried aloud and came running to me with a look of surprise.

"Look here, my dear. What a beautiful figure they have!"

On looking at the shells I was surprised to find that they had a transparent skin glistening like marble, with a maroon figure tatooed on one part of the body.

"What a beautiful whorl on such a vulgar, ugly animal."

So saying, my wife began to roll them in her hand as though they were gems, and looking round to me, said:

"I wonder if the shells know anything about the beautiful figure they possess."

"They do not know anything about it I dare say."

"I also think so. God appears to take delight in making everything beautiful without the knowledge of man. God is not biased in making his creation beautiful. His kindness extends to the lowest forms of creation."

But I added: "Anyhow, you have the credit of the discovery."

At supper my wife could not bring herself to eat these shells, so beautiful they were, so she put them on the book shelf.

We sat at night before this figure-head of fried shellfish, discussing little questions relating to the soul.

There was to be a funeral that evening—the funeral of a baby one month old. Our conversation naturally turned to the unfortunate baby.

"Have you seen its funeral tablet?" I asked.

"I haven't."

"It was fine—Peach Flower Sparkling Water Baby. It is spring after all."

It was spring, and to hear of a baby lying in spring-time was poetical. We did not know why, but smiled to each other though we felt lonely.

"Be this as it may, I have a presentiment that something will happen to our gold-fish," said my wife.

"Gold-fish," I murmured, and unconsciously drew in my breath.

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We had just passed a long autumn and winter, during which time our gold-fish, buried in the earth in a pot, endured all. The loneliness of the fish was no other than the loneliness of me and my wife, living an ascetic life in a deserted mountain temple. We had borne poverty and loneliness enough. The only companion we had were our minds and the surrounding stillness. But we felt no misery. On the contrary, we felt a real happiness in being thus alone in a remote place. I though of my wife and she, in her turn, looked after me, and we had nothing to distract our attention from our work. But for my wife, I could not have lived a life so pure and transparent! My heart was full of thankfulness to her. But our gold-fish endured its loneliness alone, buried in the womb of earth, shut from the eye of humanity, forgotten by all. I felt I could understand the sorrow of creatures other than man.

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It was long, long ago that I first conceived the idea of writing about gold-fish, and my wife's remarks about the fish were instrumental in making me write this. I sat at my desk, and felt the humbleness of spirit which a saint is conceived to feel at the prospect of writing sacred books, and hung down my head in humiliation.

I said to myself, "I will write about our gold-fish, or rather about that stillness that solemn, unfathomable stillness, which makes our fish sink deep in the water without a sound!"

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Spring was come, and there was no reason why it should not come to our gold-fish. Yes, the splash which it had just made on the surface of the basin was the first visit of spring to it.

Surprised at the sound, I peeped into the basin. There was reflected the blue sky, together with the twigs of a half dead cherry-tree with a dozen light crimson flowers. The fish was on the surface, apparently for the first time; its back was discolored and there were many white spots. On looking more closely I found that the fish was void of vigor. It floated as though it were half-dead. It was difficult to tell whether the tail fin, which was torn at the end, with green moss attached, was moving at all. The moss vibrated slightly.

"Spring is come, and the fish is going to die," said I to myself, and felt sorrow and uneasiness of mind.

Soon after I heard the "boy" of my wine-merchant talking to my wife in the garden.

"Mistress, the fish will die sooner or later. The time to die is come to it, so it appears to me."

After meeting the light of spring so long awaited, was our gold-fish going to die?

I stepped into the garden and pricked the back of our fish with a pine leaf.

To my joy I found that that it was alive. At the prick the fish shook its fin and sank to the bottom.

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When I left the basin with relief, a brown cock and a white hen came along kicking with their tiny legs the ground soaked with the moisture of spring. They dipped their biaks in the basin, shaking their red crests as they drank. When they drank each mouthful they raised their heads and looked up in the sky.

"Spring is come after all," said I to myself, and felt a little light hearted.

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My wife in order to prepare food for me broke a new laid egg in a dish, and making the yellow part drop on the white said.

"The gold-fish was floating like this, was it not?"

"Yes, it was, my dear. The fish was swimming like that. But it will not die, never."

The spring night advanced. I ordered my wife to go to sleep before me. She rose, made a bed for us, and after burning incense, said good-night, and laid herself down in a corner of the bed, her face turned towards me.

My mind became clearer and clearer, and the smell of the violets came back to me, mingled with the incense which my wife had just burnt.

"I must write an ode to gold-fish, and that without rousing my wife. She is as sensitive and excitable as my gold-fish."

The Powder Puff Hounds

(*New York Tribune*)

There is an Englishman, gassed at Loos, who came over to this country on some mission, and is here yet. It doesn't quite matter why, but he likes us and he may stay a very long time.

He is very emphatic about the war being over. "It is, you know," he says. When some of his American girl friends are on duty driving ambulances or working long hours in canteens, he reminds them that their work ought to be over, for the war is over!" cried he. "I lunched at —well, at a well known place, and every woman I saw at a table there had time to powder her nose before and after eating—and sometimes between; and the majority remembered that they had lips, after eating. I counted twenty-one who rouged their cheeks while I looked at them!"

"It—doesn't quite seem in good taste, does it?"

"Oh, of course—taste!" shrugged the Englishman.

"That makes me think of something," gurgled his hostess. "We've got a wonderful creature in our corps. I don't know how she does it! But she keeps her cheeks and her chin and her lips always in tip-top color. One day while she was hanging around a sailor boy brought his mother into our hostess house. She was a dear little old lady, from upstate somewhere, I should think, and oh! so prim! While she sat stiffly on a chair, with her boy beside her, our elegant driver took out a nice mirror from one pocket of her uniform, and a little powder box, and proceeded to touch up her nose. I wish you could have seen the gob's darling mother! Her eyes were like saucers!

"Then our wonderful creature went forth—I've no doubt to go on duty for eight or ten hours straight; she is no shirker—and the mother turned to her boy.

"'The idea!' gasped she.

"'Everybody does it in New York, mother,' he whispered, uncomfortably. 'It's all right!'

"But mother was not satisfied. 'Does she buff her finger nails in public, too?' she demanded."

The Englishman laughed heartily. "Not bad," said he. "Oh, well, I suppose women are getting too frank about their complexions. It's like being about to cross their knees now in public and wear short skirts and puttees!"

"Don't you think it's hot in here?" asked his hostess.

"Hot?" repeated the Englishman. "Oh! I suppose that's why your nose is shiny!"

"Shiny!" she cried, horrified.

"Yes! the war is over. Why don't you keep your nose looking nice?"

She got out a little mirror and a wee powder puff from the pocket of her khaki coat. "Why didn't you tell me before?" she demanded.

The Englishman got out a little red book and set down a figure in it. "The census goes on," said he.

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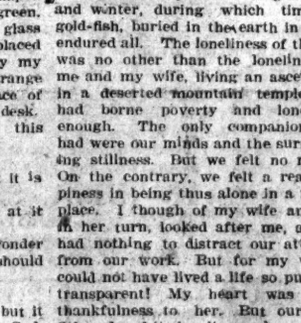

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June 6	—	San Francisco	Korea Maru	Jap.	T.K.K.
June 14	—	Vancouver	E. of Asia	Br.	C.P.O.S.
June 15	—	San Francisco	West Vaca	Am.	P.M.S.S. Co.
June 21	—	San Francisco	Venezuela	Am.	P.M.S.S. Co
June 27	—	Seattle	Fushimi Maru	Jap.	N. Y. K.
June 27	—	Vancouver	E. of Japan	Br.	C.P.O.S.
July 12	—	Vancouver	E. of Russia	Br.	C.P.O.S.
July 19	—	San Francisco	Ecuador	Am.	P.M.S.S. Co.
July 24	—	San Francisco	Tenyo Maru	Jap.	T.K.K.
July 25	—	Vancouver	Monteagle	Br.	C.P.O.S.
Aug. 2	—	San Francisco	Siberia Maru	Jap.	N.K.K.
Aug. 9	—	Vancouver	E. of Asia	Br.	C.P.O.S.
Aug. 16	—	San Francisco	Shinyo Maru	Jap.	T.K.K.
Sept. 9	—	San Francisco	Korea Maru	Jap.	T.K.K.

FOR JAPAN PORTS

May 16	—	N'saki, Kobe, Y'hama	Chikugo Maru	Jap.	N. Y. K.
May 17	—	Kobe	Tamba Maru	Jap.	N. Y. K.
May 17	—	Moji, Kobe & Osaka	Kumano Maru	Jap.	N. Y. K.
May 21	—	Moji, Kobe & Osaka	Takeshima Maru	Jap.	N. Y. K.
May 22	—	N'saki, Kobe & Y'hama	Kasuga Maru	Jap.	N. Y. K.
May 24	—	Moji, Kobe & Osaka	Yawata Maru	Jap.	N. Y. K.
May 28	—	Moji, Kobe & Osaka	Omi Maru	Jap.	N. Y. K.
May 30	—	N'saki, Kobe, Y'hama	Yamashiro Maru	Jap.	N. Y. K.
May —	—	Kobe & Yokohama	Nera	Fr.	M.M. Cie
June —	—	Kobe & Yokohama	Sphinx	Fr.	M.M. Cie

FOR EUROPE INDIA, STRAITS, ETC.

May —	—	Marseilles	Nera	Fr.	M.M. Cie
May —	—	London	C. of Colombo	Br.	J.M. & Co.
May 19	—	Bombay	Dilwara	Br.	P.&O.S.N. Co.
May 20	—	London, etc.	Lycaon	Br.	B. & S.
May 22	—	London	Neuralia	Br.	P.&O.S.N. Co.
May 26	—	London	Kaga Maru	Jap.	N. Y. K.
May 28	—	London, etc.	Amur Maru	Jap.	O. S. K.
May 29	—	London, etc.	Menter	Br.	B. & S.
May 30	—	London	Glenamoy	Br.	G. L. E. A.
June 5	—	Liverpool	Stentor	Br.	B. & S.
June 7	—	Marseilles & Genoa	Indo Maru	Jap.	O. S. K.
June 9	—	London	Yokohama Maru	Jap.	N. Y. K.
June 10	—	London, etc.	Andes Maru	Jap.	O. S. K.
June 12	—	London	Rhesus	Br.	B. & S.
June 19	—	Liverpool	Teuter	Br.	B. & S.
June 26	—	London	Taithyhius	Br.	B. & S.
June —	—	London	Altai Maru	Jap.	O. S. K.
June —	—	Marseilles	Sphinx	Fr.	M.M. Cie
July 3	—	Liverpool	Ningchow	Br.	B. & S.
July 10	—	London	Idomeneus	Br.	B. & S.
July 23	—	Settle	Katori Maru	Jap.	N. Y. K.

FOR SOUTHERN PORTS

May 16	D.L.	Amoy & Swatow	Tientsin	Br.	B. & S.
May 16	—	Manila & Hongkong	E. of Asia	Br.	C.P.O.S.
May 16	5.30	Ningpo	Hsin Peking	Br.	B. & S.
May 16	4.30	Ningpo	Hsin Ningshao	Chi.	N.S.S.Co.
May 16	M.N.	Wenchow	Kwangchi	Chi.	C.M.S.N. Co.
May 17	—	Hongkong & Canton	Kwangtah	Chi.	C.M.S.N. Co.
May 17	1.00	S'tow, H'kong, C'ton	Kwongsang	Br.	J. M. & Co.
May 17	5.30	Ningpo	Taishun	Chi.	C.M.S.N. Co.
May 18	D.L.	Hongkong & Canton	Yingchow	Br.	B. & S.
May 18	—	Foochow	Hsinchi	Chi.	C.M.S.N. Co.
May 20	D.L.	Hongkong & Canton	Tean	Br.	B. & S.
May 21	—	Hongkong & Manila	Venezuela	Am.	P.M.S.S. Co.

FOR NORTHERN PORTS

May 16	—	Tsingtao	Fumi Maru	Jap.	S.M.R.
May 16	—	Vladivostok	Tungus	Rus.	S.H. & Co.
May 17	—	Tientsin	Kwangping	Chi.	K.M.A.
May 17	10.00*	W'wei, Chefoo, T'tsin	Fengtien	Br.	B. & S.
May 17	D.L.	Tsingtao	Kwangse	Br.	B. & S.
May 17	1.00	W'wei, Chefoo, T'tsin	Kingsing	Br.	J. M. & Co.
May 17	—	Vladivostok	Mongugai	Rus.	R.V.F.
May 18	D.L.	Antung	Wenchow	Br.	B. & S.
May 20	5.00	W'wei, Chefoo, T'tsin	Tungchow	Br.	B. & S.
May 22	3.00	Vladivostok	Simbirsk	Rus.	R. V. F.

FOR RIVER PORTS

May 16	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Tuckwo	Br.	J. M. & Co.
May 16	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Ngankin	Br.	B. & S.
May 16	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Yohyang Maru	Jap.	N.K.K.
May 17	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Siangyang Maru	Jap.	N.K.K.
May 17	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Wuchang	Br.	B. & S.
May 17	D.L.	Wuhu/Swatow	Chihli	Br.	B. & S.
May 18	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Hwahta	Chi.	C.M.S.N. Co.
May 19	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Kiangsin	Chi.	C.M.S.N. Co.
May 19	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Hwahlee	Chi.	J.M. & Co.
May 19	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Tachang Maru	Jap.	N.K.K.
May 19	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Tatung	Br.	B. & S.
May 20	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Tatoo Maru	Jap.	N.K.K.
May 20	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Loongwo	Br.	J. M. & Co.
May 21	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Kiangfoo	Chi.	C.M.S.N. Co.

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Date		From	Ship's Name	Flag	Agents
Feb. 12	—	Japan	Yoiko Maru	Jap.	M.B.K.
Feb. 15	—	Bellingham, Wash.	J. Steedman	Jap.	N.Y.K.
Mar. 13	—		Misaki Maru	Br.	M.B.K.
Mar. 16	—		Mifuku Mar	Jap.	M.B. Co.
Mar. 20	—		Marie Barnard	Jap.	M.B. Co.
Apr. 6	—	Chinwangtao	Shinko Maru	Jap.	K.M.A.
Apr. 8	—	Hongkong	Castlefield	Br.	W. & Co.
Apr. 22	—	Hongkong	Kwongsang	Br.	J.M. & Co.
Apr. 22	—	Ningpo	Kiangteen	Chi.	C.M.S.N. Co.
Apr. 26	—		Mongujy		
Apr. 27	—	Hongkong	Kwangtee	Chi.	C.M.S.N. Co.
May 1	—		Chilenan	Chi.	T. W. C.
May 1	—	Japan	Fukuyo Maru	Jap.	
May 1	—	Tsingtao	Neuralia	Br.	M. M. & Co.
May 4	—	Tsingtao	Shinsei Maru 10	Jap.	S. Yoko
May 7	—	Vladivostok	Simbirsk	Rus.	R. V. F.
May 10	—	Ningpo	Meinan	Am.	Socony.
May 10	—	Japan	Hatsu Maru	Jap.	
May 10	—	New York, etc.	St. Mihiel	Chi.	M. & Co.
May 10	—	Cruise	Chuentao	Chi.	Customs
May 11	—	Japan	Chihaya Maru	Jap.	M.B.K.
May 11	—	Canton	Hwahkuei	Chi.	B. & S.
May 11	—	Cruise	Liuhsing	Chi.	Customs
May 11	—	Hankow	Klangping	Chi.	Ch. S.Shaw
May 12	—	Japan	Rokkosan Maru	Jap.	M.B.K.
May 12	—	Amoy	Tientsin	Br.	B. & S.
May 12	—	Hongkong	Celtic Prince	Br.	D. & Co.
May 12	—	Hongkong	Shinon	Chi.	
May 12	—	San Francisco	Korsnaes	Am.	S. & Dix.
May 13	—	San Francisco	Westvaca	Am.	P.M.S.S. Co
May 13	—	Hongkong	Hwahkun	Br.	P. & O.S.N. Co.
May 13	—	Bombay	Dilwara	Br.	P.&O.S.N. Co.
May 13	—	Hongkong	Kwangtah	Chi.	C.M.S.N. Co.
May 13	—	Japan	Toyo Maru	Jap.	S. Shokai
May 13	—	Japan	Pingching	Chi.	Customs
May 13	—	Vladivostok	Shinno Maru	Jap.	O. S. K.
May 13	—	Hankow	Astrahan	Rus.	R.V.F.
May 13	—	River Ports	Javary	Am.	B.A.T. Co.
May 13	—	Cruise	Kenkyu Maru 3	Jap.	S. Shokai
May 13	—	Japan	Kiangwah	Chi.	C.M.S.N. Co.
May 14	—	River ports	Kutwo	Br.	J.M. & Co.
May 14	—	Japan	Chikugo Maru	Jap.	N. Y. K.
May 14	—	Japan	Kumano Maru	Jap.	N. Y. K.
May 14	—	Vladivostok	Tungus	Rus.	S. H. & Co.
May 14	—	Nanking	Nagasaki M. 2	Jap.	S. Shokai
May 14	—	Japan	Ryusei Maru	Jap.	
May 14	—	Wenchow	Kwanchi	Chi.	C.M.S.N. Co.
May 14	—	Wuhu	Sanbashi Maru	Jap.	S.T. Co.
May 15	—	Tientsin, ports	Kingsing	Br.	J. M. & Co.
May 15	—	Tsingtao	Yingchow	Br.	B. & S.
May 15	—		J.B.A. Kessler	Br.	A. P. Co.
May 15	—	Hongkong	Kwangse	Br.	B. & S.
May 15	—	Hongkong	Glenamoy	Br.	G. L. E. A.
May 15	—	Japan	Kitaigen Maru	Jap.	
May 15	—	River ports	Tuckwo	Br.	J. M. & Co.
May 15	—	River ports	Ngankin	Br.	B. & S.
May 15	—	River ports	Yohyang Maru	Jap.	N.K.K.
May 15	—	Japan	Yelko Maru	Jap.	
May 15	—	Japan	Yeiraku Maru	Jap.	
May 15	—	Vladivostok	Harold Dollar	Br.	R. D. & Co.
May 15	—	Tientsin, ports	Fengtien	Br.	B. & S.
May 15	—	London, ports	Tamba Maru	Jap.	N.Y.K.

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*ARABIA MARU	15,000	T. Saito,	July 19	July 20

FOR HONGKONG

	Tons	Capt.	Arrive	Leave
CANADA MARU	12,000	T. Bando,	May 28	May 29

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	Tons	Capt.	Arrive	Leave
KOHOKU MARU	5,000	M. Tsubaki,	May 13	May 15

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20.35	8.35		0	dep. Peking arr.		19.50	
23.45	11.12			arr. Tientsin-Central dep.		17.00	
23.50	11.17		84	dep. Tientsin-Central arr.		16.53	
24.00	11.25			arr. Tientsin-East dep.		16.45	
19.35			524	arr. Mukden dep.			

Local 5.	Mail 3.	Exp. 1.		Tientsin-Pukow Line		Exp. 2.	Mail 4.	Local 6.
6.45	9.45	11.30	0	dep.	Tientsin-East arr.	17.05	15.45	20.15
6.56	9.55	11.40	2.71	arr.	Tientsin-Central dep.	16.55	15.35	20.05
7.25	10.15	11.55		dep.	Tientsin-Central arr.	16.31	15.20	19.45
13.02	16.00	15.30	78	dep.	Tsangchow dep.	13.05	11.28	15.22
16.40	19.20	18.08	148	dep.	Tsehow dep.	10.32	8.47	11.56
19.57	22.12	20.21	—	arr.	Tsinanfu dep.	8.06	6.00	8.30
7.	‡		220		‡			8.
6.00	22.25	20.31	—	dep.	Tsinanfu arr.	7.56	5.40	19.02
9.27	1.00	22.31	266	dep.	Taianfu dep.	6.01	3.25	16.24
12.23	3.47	0.38	318	arr.	Yanchowfu dep.	3.43	0.40	13.00
12.47	4.02	0.48		dep.	Yanchowfu arr.	3.30	0.07	12.46
16.30	6.55	3.16	377	dep.	Linching dep.	1.20	21.24	9.36
19.02	8.45	4.56	—	arr.	Hsuchowfu dep.	23.36	19.20	6.30
9.	‡		420		‡			10.
5.40	9.00	4.57	—	dep.	Hsuchowfu arr.	23.29	19.00	20.50
11.26	13.02	8.33		arr.	Pengpu dep.	19.53	14.55	15.20
11.51	13.20	8.40	523	dep.	Pengpu arr.	19.48	14.35	14.09
18.27	17.34	11.52	600	dep.	Chuhsien dep.	16.48	10.50	8.17
20.08	18.55	13.00	631	arr.	Pukow dep.	15.30	9.20	6.40

N. Exp.	Exp.			Shanghai-Nanking Line		Exp.	N. Exp.
23.00	14.20	0	dep.	Nanking-Ferry arr.		14.15	6.50
7.00	21.00	193	arr.	Shanghai-North dep.		7.55	23.00

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13.10	4.10	d. Yenchowfu a.	12.06	23.53	21.30	16.40	9.30	d. Liuchung a.	10.26	15.56	21.00
14.01	5.05	a. Tsiningchow d.	11.15	23.00	22.40	17.50	10.40	a. Tsochuang d.	9.15	14.40	19.50

The station for the foreign concessions in Tientsin is "TIENTSIN-EAST"

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By Order
THE TRAFFIC MANAGER.

Tientsin, March, 1919.

Large Display Advertisements
intended for the Sunday issue of The China Press should be sent in before **5 p.m. on Friday**

Labor Party To Establish Chain Of Stores In Chicago

Each Ward To Have A Co-operative Market, In Which All Union Affairs Will Be Centered; Non-Partisan League To Procure Supplies

Chicago, April 1.—Co-operative stores for every ward in Chicago, the supplies to come direct from the farms of North Dakota through the agency of the Non-Partisan League, will be established by the new Chicago labor party as quickly as it is possible to get organised. This was announced tonight as the program which is to be inaugurated, now that the Chicago municipal election has been settled. In addition, ward headquarters for the party are to be established jointly with each co-operative store and all community affairs of organised labor are to be centered in them. Strikes are to be directed from these points.

Morton L. Johnson, executive secretary of the Chicago Labor party, tonight announced the plans for the next week. The city election is merely an incident in the life of the new party, he said. On next Monday the Cook County convention will be held, at which delegates to the state convention at Springfield on April 10 will be named. In Springfield plans for the national convention with the Non-Partisan League will be made. The convention next Monday is to be made up of delegates from the unions. The matter of ward organisations will be taken up and the plans for the co-operative stores finally arranged.

Mr. Johnson will go to North Dakota next week for a conference with Governor Frazier and A. C. Townley, resident of the Non-Partisan League, relative to direct shipments of farm products to the organised labor consumers of Chicago.

So far as the strike feature and the community center ideas are concerned, it is believed by Labor party officials that closer organisations in the wards can be affected by having these ward branches or headquarters. Then whenever there is a strike in the ward in any particular line of industry the unions will have a central place from which to direct it.

John Fitzpatrick, Labor candidate for Mayor, commenting on the election, said: "The Labor party has established itself on the map. It has come to stay. The election for Mayor was but an incident of organisation, albeit a very significant incident.

"We have come through the first battle with renewed determination and with the organisation which we developed in this campaign we will take up each new phase of the workers' struggle as we reach it.

"We next proceed to the convention at Springfield April 10, where the foundation of the state labor party in Illinois will be laid.

"We have started on the fight for freedom for the workers not only of Chicago and Illinois, but of the United States, and we are on our way."

Sailed from Shanghai

For San Francisco		
Cadaretta	Apr.	13
Tancred	Apr.	16
Satanta	Apr.	17
Astral	Apr.	18
China	Apr.	25
Ecuador	Apr.	27
Tenyo Maru	May	10
For Tacoma		
Arabia Maru	Apr.	15
Manila Maru	Apr.	16
For Seattle		
Suiwa Maru	May	9
For Vancouver		
Monteagle	Apr.	11
Bessie Dollar	Apr.	18
Melville Dollar	Apr.	24
Empress of Russia	May	10
For New York Via Panama		
Lowther Castle	Apr.	19
For London, etc.		
Cardiganshire	Apr.	13
Iyo Maru	Apr.	14
City of Bristol	Apr.	15
Laomedon	Apr.	17
Bangalore	Apr.	18
Carnarvonshire	Apr.	19
Chifuku Maru	Apr.	24
Somedono Maru	Apr.	26
Nellore	Apr.	25
Atsuta Maru	Apr.	29
Peleus	May	3
Glengyle	May	4
Carmarthenshire	May	10
Shidzuoka Maru	May	12
For Liverpool		
Telamon	Apr.	17
Pakling	May	11
For Marseilles		
Luzon Maru	Apr.	13
Paul Lecat	May	10
For Odessa		
Mylle	Apr.	24
For Bombay		
Dessra	Apr.	10
Toyo Maru 2	Apr.	20
Hejaz	Apr.	26
For Java		
Tjiliwong	May	9
For Saigon		
Balestrand	Apr.	12
For New Castle (Australia)		
Hwahting	Apr.	9

Launch Services

TOMORROW

The tender Alexandra conveying passengers and mails on board the R.M.S. Empressof Asia will leave the Customs Jetty at 6.30 p.m.

The tender conveying passengers and mails on board the S.M.R. s.s. Kobe Maru will leave the Customs Jetty at noon.

Monday, May 19, 1919

The tender conveying passengers and mails on board the P. and O. s.s. Dilwara will leave the Customs Jetty at 11 a.m.

Friday, May 23, 1919.

The tender conveying passengers and mails on board the R.V.F. s.s. Simbirsk will leave the Customs Jetty at 3 p.m.

Shipping Items

The C.N. s.s. Tean left Hongkong for Shanghai on Tuesday.

The C.N. s.s. Wuchang left Hankow for Shanghai on Tuesday.

The C.M. s.s. Hwahta left Hankow for Shanghai on Tuesday.

The N.K.K. s.s. Siangyang Maru left Hankow for Shanghai on Tuesday.

The I.-C. s.s. Hwahlee (chartered) left Hankow for Shanghai on Wednesday.

The C.M. s.s. Kianghsin left Hankow for Shanghai on Wednesday.

The C.N. s.s. Tatung left Hankow for Shanghai on Wednesday.

The N.K.K. s.s. Tachang Maru left Hankow for Shanghai on Wednesday.

The I.-C. s.s. Loongwo left Hankow for Shanghai yesterday.

The C.N. s.s. Luenyi left Hankow for Shanghai yesterday.

The N.K.K. s.s. Nanyang Maru left Hankow for Shanghai yesterday.

The C.N. s.s. Sunning left Hongkong for Shanghai yesterday.

The H.O. s.s. Tehhsing left Hankow for Shanghai yesterday.

The C.M. s.s. Kiangfoo will leave Hankow for Shanghai today.

The C.N. s.s. Woosung will leave Hankow for Shanghai today.

The N.K.K. s.s. Tafoo Maru will leave Hankow for Shanghai today.

The Blue Funnel s.s. Teucer, from Liverpool, left Singapore for Hongkong and Shanghai last Saturday.

The N.Y.K. s.s. Tamba Maru arrived in Shanghai from London and ports yesterday and will leave for Kobe tomorrow.

The S.M.R. s.s. Kobe Maru is due in Shanghai from Dairen today and will sail for the same port tomorrow. The tender with passengers and mails will leave the Customs Jetty at noon.

The R.V.F. s.s. Mongugai will leave for Vladivostok and Nagasaki tomorrow.

The C.N. s.s. Tungchow left Tientsin for Chefoo, Weihaiwei and Shanghai yesterday.

The C.M. s.s. Kiangyu will leave Hankow for Shanghai tomorrow.

The N.Y.K. s.s. Talee Maru will leave Hankow for Shanghai tomorrow.

The P. and O. s.s. Neuralia will be despatched for London and Marseilles via Suez on May 22.

The P. and O. s.s. Dilwara with mails for Europe, will sail for Bombay via Hongkong, Singapore and Colombo next Monday. The tender with passengers and mails will leave the Customs Jetty at 11 o'clock in the morning.

The C.P.O.S. s.s. Empress of Asia left Nagasaki for Shanghai yesterday and is due at Woosung early tomorrow morning. The tender with inward passengers and mails may be expected to reach the Customs Jetty about 9.30 o'clock. And Asia sails for Hongkong via Manila the same evening and the tender conveying passengers and mails will leave the Customs Jetty at 6.30 o'clock.

THE CHINA PRESS MAIL SCHEDULE

FRIDAY, MAY 16, 1919

Date and Destination	Per	Chi.	Br.	USA	Rus.	Jap.	Reg.
Today.							
Japan Ports	Chikugo Maru	10.30	..	..	..	..	10.00
Japan Ports	Chikugo Maru	..	10.30	..	..	..	..
River Ports	Train & Str.	22.00	..	..	..	..	22.00
Manila direct	E. of Asia	17.00	..	..	..	..	16.30
Japan & America, via N'saki	Chikugo Maru	..	..	..	..	c11.00	10.30
Vladivostok and Siberia	Via P. & H.	17.00	..	..	..	..	17.00
N'saki, Kobe, Y'hama Canada, H'lulu, U.S.A. and Europe	Chikugo Maru	..	..	10.00	..	..	9.00
Wenchow	Kwangchi	22.00	..	..	..	..	22.00
Hongkong and Canton	Kwangtah	22.00	..	..	..	..	22.00
Hankow	Tuckwo	..	17.00	..	..	..	..
V'stock and Siberia via Pukow and Harbin (Daily expect Sunday)	Train	..	..	..	17.00	..	17.00
Ningpo	Hsin Peking	..	15.00	..	..	..	..
Tientsin	Train	..	17.00	..	..	..	..
Hankow	Train	..	17.00	..	..	..	..
Vladivostok	do	..	17.00	..	..	..	..
Tomorrow.							
Weihaiwei and Chefoo	Fengtien	9.00	..	..	..	..	8.30
Weihaiwei, Chefoo & Tientsin	Fengtien	..	9.00	..	..	..	..
Hongkong and Canton	Yingchow	22.00	..	..	..	..	22.00
Hongkong	Yingchow	..	17.00	..	..	..	..
Japan Ports	Kumano M.	..	11.30	..	..	..	..
Japan & America, via Moji	Kumano M.	..	..	..	..	b12.00	11.30
Japan Ports	do	11.30	..	..	..	..	11.00
River Ports	Train & Str.	22.00	..	..	..	..	22.00
Weihaiwei and Chefoo	Kingsing	12.00	..	..	..	..	11.30
Manila and Hongkong	E. of Asia	..	17.30	..	..	..	..
Vladivostok and Siberia	Via P. & H.	17.00	..	..	..	..	17.00
Hongkong and Manila	E. of Asia	..	..	15.00	..	..	14.00
Foochow	Hsinchi	22.00	..	..	..	..	22.00
Swatow, Hongkong & Canton	Kwongsang	12.00	..	..	..	..	11.30
Swatow and Hongkong	Kwongsang	..	12.00	..	..	..	..
Weihaiwei, Chefoo & Tientsin	Kingsing	..	12.00	..	..	..	..
Sunday, May 18.							
Japan Ports	Tamba Maru	10.00	..	..	..	..	9.30
River Ports	Train & Str.	22.00	..	..	..	..	22.00
Monday, May 19.							
Hongkong, S. Ports, Straits, Ceylon, India & Europe via Suez	Dilwara	..	a10.00	..	..	..	9.30
H'kong, S. Ports, A'tralia, Straits, Ceylon, India and Europe	do	10.00	..	..	..	..	9.30
Hongkong and Canton	Tean	22.00	..	..	..	..	22.00
Hongkong	Tean	..	17.00	..	..	..	..
Tuesday, May, 20.							
United Kingdom, via Suez	*Lycaon	..	14.00	..	..	..	..
Weihaiwei and Chefoo	Tungchow	14.00	..	..	..	..	13.30
Friday, May 23.							
Japan, Canada, USA & Europe via U.S.A.	Colombia	..	17.00	..	..	..	17.00
Monday, May 26.							
N'saki, H'lulu, Canada, U.S.A. & Europe, via U.S.A.	Shinyo Maru	..	13.00	..	..	..	12.30

*Parcel only
A Parcels 9:30 a.m.
C Letters and boxes with declared value 10:30 a.m.; parcel post and money orders 10 a.m.
D Letters and boxes with declared value 11:30 a.m.; parcel post and money orders 11 a.m.
E Registered articles 5 p.m. on previous day.

The Chinese Post Office will close two mails daily for Tsinan, Tientsin, Peking, etc.
a.—at 21 for S.N.R. 23 o'clock train
b.—at 7 for S.N.R. 7:55 o'clock train
Mails closed by 7:55 train should reach Tientsin only 46 minutes later than those closed for the previous night's train.

MEN OF WAR IN PORT

Section	Date	From	Name	Flag and Rating
WTW			Snipe	Br. gun-boat
WTW			Nightingale	Br. gun-boat
P & O B I	Oct. 18		Sel. Caboto	It. gun-boat
1 C	Feb. 11		Wilmington	Am. gun-boat
B V I I	May 7		Suma	Jap. gun-boat
M M B	Apr. 30		D de Lagree	Fr. gun-boat
B N B	May 12		Bee	Br. gun-boat

Arrivals

Arrived	From	Ship's Name	Flag Agents
May 15 —	Ningpo	Taishun	Chi. C.M.S.N. Co.
May 15 —	Tientsin, ports	Kingsing	Br. J. M. & Co.
May 15 —	Tsingtao	Yiechow	Br. B. & S.
May 15 —		J.B.A. Kessler	Br. A. P. Co.
May 15 —	Hongkong	Kwangse	Br. B. & S.
May 15 —	Hongkong	Glenamoy	Br. G. L. E. A.
May 15 —	Japan	Kitaigen Maru	Jap.
May 15 —	River ports	Tuckwo	Br. J. M. & Co.
May 15 —	River ports	Nganking	Br. B. & S.
May 15 —	River ports	Yohyang Maru	Jap. N.K.K.
May 15 —	Japan	Yeiko Maru	Jap.
May 15 —	Japan	Yetraku Maru	Jap.
May 15 —	Vladivostok	Harold Dollar	Br. R. D. & Co.
May 15 —	Tientsin, ports	Fengtien	Br. B. & S.
May 15 —	London, ports	Tamba Maru	Jap. N.Y.K.

Departures

Date	For	Ship's Name	Flag Agents
May 15 —	River ports	Kiangyung	Chi. C.M.S.N. Co.
May 15 —	River ports	Chungking	Br. B. & S.
May 15 —	River ports	Pengyang Maru	Jap. N.K.K.
May 15 —	Native Customs	Shinsei Maru	Jap. S. Yoko
May 15 —	Hongkong, Canton	Hsintah	Chi. C.M.S.N. Co.
May 15 —	Tsingtao	Suwa Maru	Jap. M.B.K.
May 15 —	Cruise	U.S.S. Quiros	
May 15 —	Hongkong, Canton	Suiyang	Br. B. & S.
May 15 —	Dairen	Sanryu Maru	Jap. S. Shokai
May 15 —	W'wei, Chefoo, T'sin	Shengking	Br. B. & S.
May 15 —	Native Customs	Fuyo Maru	Jap. S. Shokai
May 15 —	Tientsin, Dairen	Kohoku Maru	Jap. O. S. K.
May 15 —	Ningpo	Taishun	Chi. C.M.S.N. Co.

SHANGHAI-HANGCHOW-NINGPO RAILWAY ABRIDGED TIME TABLE

SHANGHAI LOCAL TIME IS ONE HOUR AHEAD OF RAILWAY TIME

SHANGHAI NORTH TO ZAHKOU—"DOWN" MAIN LINE. ZAHKOU TO SHANGHAI NORTH—"UP"

STATIONS		Local	Fast K	Slow	Coolie & Goods	Local	Express K	Local	Local
Shanghai North	dep.	....	7.35	9.00	10.00	....	14.50	15.50	....
Jinkfield	dep.	....	7.51	9.16	10.23	....	15.06	16.06	....
Sinzang	dep.	....	7.58	9.23	10.38	....	15.13	16.13	....
Lunghua Junction	dep.	....	8.15	9.40	10.53	....	15.30	16.29	....
Shanghai South	*dep.*	....	*7.45*	*9.10*	*10.20*	*13.35*	*15.00*	*16.00*	*17.55*
Lunghua Junction	*dep.*	....	*8.15*	*9.40*	*10.53*	*13.52*	*15.30*	*16.29*	*18.12*
Singkiang	dep.	....	8.39	10.48	12.02	....	16.07	17.42	....
Kashi	dep.	....	9.51	11.52	13.28	....	16.58	18.49	....
Kahing	dep.	7.40	10.28	12.30	14.36	....	17.22	19.20	....
Yahsh	dep.	8.45	11.05	13.15	15.50	....	17.58	....	....
Chengse	dep.	9.45	11.41	14.00	16.50	....	18 24	....	....
Hangchow	dep.	11.10	12.50	15.25	18.30	....	19.19	....	....
Zahkou	arr.	11.35	13.10	15.50	19.00	....	19.39	....	....

STATIONS		Local	Local	Fast K	Slow	Local	Coolie and Goods	Express K	Local
Zahkou	dep.	....	....	6.30	7.55	....	9.20	14.10	15.30
Hangchow	dep.	....	....	7.00	8.30	....	10.00	14.35	16.05
Chengse	dep.	....	....	8.04	9.48	....	11.40	15.20	17.36
Yahsh	dep.	....	....	8.41	10.31	....	12.39	15.51	18.40
Kashing	dep.	....	7.15	9.28	11.22	....	14.10	16.30	19.30
Kashi	dep.	....	7.48	9.53	11.55	....	14.48	16.52	....
Singkiang	dep.	....	9.05	10.47	12.59	....	16.08	17.40	....
Lunghua Junction	*dep.*	*8.18*	*10.35*	*11.38*	*14.06*	*15.33*	*17.23*	*18.23*	....
Shanghai South	*arr.*	*8.35*	*10.55*	*11.55*	*14.25*	*15.50*	*17.40*	*18.40*	....
Lunghua Junction	dep.	....	10.30	11.35	14.05	....	17.18	18.20	....
Sezaon	dep.	....	10.39	11.44	14.14	....	17.28	18.29	....
Jinkfield	dep.	....	10.46	11.51	14.21	....	17.37	18.36	....
Shanghai North	arr.	....	11.00	12.05	14.35	....	17.55	18.50	....

KONZENCHIAO TO ZAHKOU — KIANGSHOO BRANCH LINE. — ZAHKOU TO KONZENCHIAO

Konzenchiao	dep.	6.50	8.25	11.25	14.00	15.55	18.35	Zahkou	dep.	—	10.10	12.25	....	17.20	....
Kenshangmun	dep.	7.10	8.50	11.40	14.15	16.15	18.50	Hangchow	dep.	7.30	10.40	12.45	14.55	17.50	19.15
Hangchow	dep.	7.20	9.15	11.52	14.24	16.30	19.00	Kenshangmun	dep.	7.42	10.57	12.57	15.12	18.07	19.27
Zahkou	arr.	—	9.40	12.10	....	16.55	....	Konzenchiao	arr.	7.55	11.10	13.10	15.25	18.20	19.40

E. Passengers Car.

BENJAMIN AND POTTS SHARE LIST

Yesterday's Prices

STOCK	Closing Quotations
Banks	
H. K. and S. B.	$650
Chartered	£80 CNI
Russo-Asiatic	Tls. 250
Marine Insurances	
Canton	$500 B.
North China	Tls. 220 B.
Union of Canton	HK $1120
Yangtsze	$232 B.
Far Eastern Ins. Co., Ltd.	Tls. 24
Fire Insurances	
China Fire	$160
Hongkong Fire	$330
Shipping	
Indo-China Def	$160
Indo-China Pref.	
"Shell"	170/- B.
Shanghai Tug (o)	Tls. 32½
Shanghai Tug (f)	Tls. 40
Mining	
Kaiping	Tls. 10½ B.
Oriental Cons	21/-
Raub	$2½ B.
Docks	
Hongkong Dock	$155 B.
Shanghai Dock	Tls. 127
New Eng. Works	Tls. 23½
Wharves	
Shanghai Wharf	Tls. 85 B.
Hongkong Wharf	$97 x R B.
Lands and Hotels	
Anglo-French Land	Tls. 75 B.
China Land	Tls. 80
Shanghai Land	Tls. 67 B.
Weihaiwei Land	Tls. 3
Shanghai Hotels Ltd.	Tls. 16½ B.
China Realty (ord.)	Tls. 6a
China Realty (pref.)	Tls. 80
Cotton Mills	
E-wo	Tls. 240
E-wo Pref	Tls. 97
Laou-kung-mow	Tls. 168 B.
Oriental	Tls. 84 B.
Shanghai Cotton	Tls. 176
Kungyik	Tls. 35
Yangtszepoo	Tls. 10½ B.
Yangtszepoo Pref.	Tls. 90
Industrials	
Butler Tilles	Tls. 25
China Sugar	$150 B.
Green Island	$7.70 B.
Langkats	Tls. 19 ONI B.
Major Bros	Tls. 5
Shanghai Sumatra	Tls. 115
Stores	
Hall and Holts	$12½ B.
Llewellyn	$30
Lane, Crawford	$98
Moutrie	$32
Watson	$6½
Weeks	$12 B.
Rubbers (Local)	
Alma	Tls. 8½ S.
Amherst	Tls. 0.50
Anglo-Java	Tls. 7½ B.
Anglo-Dutch	Tls. 2½
Ayer Tawah	Tls. 20 B.
Batu Anam 1918	Tls. 0.80
Bukit Toh Alang	Tls. 2 B.
Bute	Tls. 0.80
Chemor United	Tls. 1
Chempedak	Tls. 7½
Cheng	Tls. 2.10
Consolidated	Tls. 2.40
Dominion	Tls. 8
Gula Kalumpong	Tls. 52 B.
Java Consolidated	Tls. 13.90
Kamunting	Tls. 6.50
Kapala	Tls. 0.30 B.
Kapayang	Tls. 15
Karan	Tls. 8½
Kota Bahroe	Tls. 54
Kroewoek Java	Tls. 13½ B.
Padang	Tls. 10
Pengkalan Durian	Tls. 4½ B.
Permata	Tls. 2½
Repah	Tls. 0.80 B.
Samagaga	Tls. 0.72½ B.
Seekee	Tls. 1
Semambu	Tls. 0.92½
Senawang	Tls. 8½
Shanghai Klebang	Tls. 0.60
Shanghai Malay	Tls. 6
S'hai Malay pref.	Tls. 8
Shanghai Pahang	Tls. 1 B.
Sungala	Tls. 1,
Sungei Duri	Tls. 9 S.
Sua Manggis	Tls. 4
S'hai Kalantan	Tls. 0.50
Shanghai Seremban	Tls. 0.85
Taiping	Tls. 1½
Tanah Merah	Tls. 0.95 S.
Tebong	Tls. 15
Ulobri	Tls. 2½
Ziangbe	Tls. 3½ B.
Miscellaneous	
C. I and E. Lumber	Tls. 250 B.
Culty Dairy	Tls. 14 S.
S'hai Elec. and Asb.	$2
Shanghai Trams	Tls. 78 B.
Shanghai Gas	Tls. 21½
Horse Bazaar	Tls. 25
Shanghai Mercury	Tls. 25
Shanghai Telephone	Tls. 79 B.
S'hai Waterworks	Tls. 158

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Mail Notices

MAILS CLOSE

For U.S. Canada and Europe:
†Per N.Y.K. s.s. Chikugo M. May 16
For Manila
Per R.M.S. E. of Asia ....May 17
For Japan:
Per N.Y.K. s.s. Chikugo M. May 16
For United Kingdom
*Per B. & S. s.s. Lycaon ..May 20
For Europe
Per P. and O. s.s. Dilwara ..May 15

MAILS DUE

From U.S. and Canada
Per R.M.S. E. of Asia ....May 17
*Parcels only to be sent by the s.s. Lycaon.
†Mails to be sent by the Chikugo will connect with the Siberia Maru at Yokohama.

Amusements

Olympic Theatre

TONIGHT
Marguerite Clark
in
"HELENE of the NORTH"
Five Parts

Paramount Pictograph

"Where Are My Trousers?"
Comedy

"The Night Cops"
Comedy

ISIS THEATRE

PROGRAMME
for
Friday and Saturday, 16th and 17th May

THE SUPREME-SERIAL
"Crimson Stain Mystery"
1st, 2nd, 3rd and 4th Episodes
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Saturday Matinee
"The Count of Monte Cristo"
Final Epoch
and
"The Million Dollar Mystery"
12th and 13th Episodes

Sunday Matinee
"Crimson Stain Mystery"
First Four Episodes

Sunday Night
"Yiddish Vaudeville"
and
Special Picture Show

Monday Next, 19th May
Mr. GERRARD'S
"My Four Years in Germany"

BUSINESS AND OFFICIAL NOTICES

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ST. JOHN'S UNIVERSITY
SHANGHAI

The Entrance Examinations of the Pennsylvania Medical School, the School of Arts, School of Science, and Middle School will be held from Wednesday, June 11th to Saturday, June 14th. For further information apply to the Registrar.
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Polish Artist
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H. Ishii
Japanese Artist
will be held at the
PALACE HOTEL
on
16th, 17th, 18th May
10 a.m. — 9 p.m.
Admission Free
23546

SHANGHAI CRICKET CLUB

POSTPONEMENT

The "At Home" arranged for Monday, 12th inst., which had to be postponed on account of inclement weather conditions, will take place on Friday, 16th inst., (weather permitting) when the Members of the Club will be "at home" to their friends from 5 p.m. to 7 p.m.
C. D. FIELD, Secretary.
23551

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Bentleys Phrase Code $25.00
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23512

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TENNIS

Members interested and Americans wishing to join will meet to discuss arrangements for present season at the U. S. Court for China on FRIDAY, May 16th, 1919, at 5:30 p.m.
MYRON SCHROCK,
Secretary, Tennis Section.
23589

Municipal Notification
No. 2602.
7% LOAN 1919
Price of Issue until further notice 95 per cent.

Under the authority of Resolution V passed at the Annual Meeting of Ratepayers on April 9, 1919, the Council hereby invites applications for debentures in the 7 per cent Loan of 1919.
The debentures in this issue will bear interest from the date of purchase at the rate of 7 per cent per annum payable on June 30 and December 31 in each year.
They will be issued at 95 per cent until further notice and will be redeemed on December 31, 1929.
The scrip will be issued in denominations of Tls. 1,000, Tls. 500 and Tls. 100 to suit the convenience of applicants.
Application forms can be obtained from the Treasurer, Finance Department, 24B Kiangse Road, to whom all enquiries should be addressed.
By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
Secretary.
Council Room,
Shanghai, April 12, 1919.
22364

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21666

THE CHINA MUTUAL LIFE INSURANCE CO., LTD.

Head Office: 10 Canton Road, Shanghai.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Twenty-first Annual General Meeting of the China Mutual Life Insurance Company, Limited, will be held at the Company's Offices, 10 Canton Road, Shanghai, Today, the 16th day of May, 1919, at 4 p.m.

The Transfer Books of the Company will be closed from the 2nd day of May, 1919, to the 16th day of May, 1919, both days inclusive.

By Order of the Board of Directors,
J. K. TWEED,
Secretary.
Shanghai, 30th April, 1919.
22368

AMUSEMENTS

Victoria Theatre

Showing
FOR THREE NIGHTS ONLY
May 16th, 17th and 18th
"THE ROMANCE OF TARZAN"
SEVEN REELS
The Concluding Chapters of
"Tarzan of the Apes"
from the Novel by Edgar Rice Burroughs

On Monday, 19th
ONE NIGHT ONLY
"The Auction Block"

LYCEUM THEATRE

Tomorrow Night at 9.15

GRAND OPENING NIGHT
of the
LAURA GUERITE REVUE COMPANY

Presenting
The Colossal
VAUDEVILLE BANQUET
In which each member of the Company is seen in his or her particular Vaudeville Speciality.

FIRST CHANGE OF PROGRAMME
WEDNESDAY NEXT
The Brilliant Record-breaking Revue
"LET'S GO"
Written by LAURA GUERITE & GEORGE ROSS
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A Special
THE DANSANT
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SUNDAY AFTERNOON
May 18th, from 4.30 — 7.30 p.m.
AT THE **CARLTON CAFE**
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Special Jazz Music
"Something out of the Ordinary"

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Retained on the bill for three more nights. In acting and photography this picture will rank as one of our greatest bookings. It is a real live play full of life from start to finish.

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MATINEE, SATURDAY AT 4 P.M.
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Both well worth seeing, so book up today!

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